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Dear Readers,

North Carolina agriculture and agribusiness continue to be the backbone of our state's economy, proving the nearly $85 billion industry and its farmers are resilient and persevering.

I am proud of everything agriculture and agribusinesses contribute to our state, nation and world. This industry provides us with everyday essentials – food, clothing and shelter – while also creating jobs for more than 686,000 employees or 16 percent of North Carolina's workforce.

In many rural areas of our state, agriculture and agribusiness often represent the main industry for local communities, with agricultural dollars trickling down through all facets of the economy.

This book is a compilation of agricultural production in North Carolina, highlighting the rich diversity of farm commodities produced here from livestock to row crops and ornamental plants.

We have a lot to celebrate and be proud of agriculturally in North Carolina. Of the 48,000 farms across the state, more than 1,800 are part of the Century Family Farm Program, meaning they have been in continuous family ownership for 100 years or more. In 2017, we began recognizing Bicentennial Family Farms for farms with 200 years of continuous family ownership. To date, nearly 30 farms have received this prestigious honor.

I am reminded as I look over the information in this book that each of our farms represent a small business that helps ensure access to a safe and affordable food supply. I applaud the hard work and determination of these farmers and their families.

Sincerely,

Steven W. Troxler
N.C. Commissioner of Agriculture

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NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE

Mission

The National Agricultural Statistics Service provides timely, accurate, and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

Overview

The USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) conducts hundreds of surveys every year and prepares reports covering virtually every aspect of U.S. agriculture. Production and supplies of food and fiber, prices paid and received by farmers, farm labor and wages, farm finances, chemical use, and changes in the demographics of U.S. producers are only a few examples.

NASS is committed to providing timely, accurate, and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

To uphold our continuing commitment, NASS will:

- Report the facts on American agriculture, facts needed by people working in and depending upon U.S. agriculture.
- Provide objective and unbiased statistics on a preannounced schedule that is fair and impartial to all market participants.
- Conduct the Census of Agriculture every five years, providing the only source of consistent, comparable, and detailed agricultural data for every county in America.
- Serve the needs of our data users and customers at a local level through our network of State field offices and our cooperative relationship with universities and State Departments of Agriculture.
- Safeguard the privacy of farmers, ranchers, and other data providers, with a guarantee that confidentiality and data security continue to be our top priorities.

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES

Mission

To provide services that promote and improve agriculture, agribusiness and forests; protect consumers and businesses; and conserve farmland and natural resources for the prosperity of all North Carolinians.

Overview

The N.C. Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services' divisions have responsibilities in regulatory and service areas covering agronomy; animal health; weights and measures; gas and oil inspection; crop and livestock statistics; USDA commodity distribution; state farm operations; food, drug and cosmetic testing for purity; agricultural marketing and promotion; agricultural marketing grading; international agricultural crop and livestock marketing; operation of the North Carolina State Fair and North Carolina Mountain State Fair; operation of four state farmers markets; research station operations; seed and fertilizer inspection; nursery and plant pest eradication activities; regulation of the structural pest control industry; agricultural environmental issues; soil and water conservation; forest management and protection; state and federal agricultural legislation; and agricultural economic analysis.

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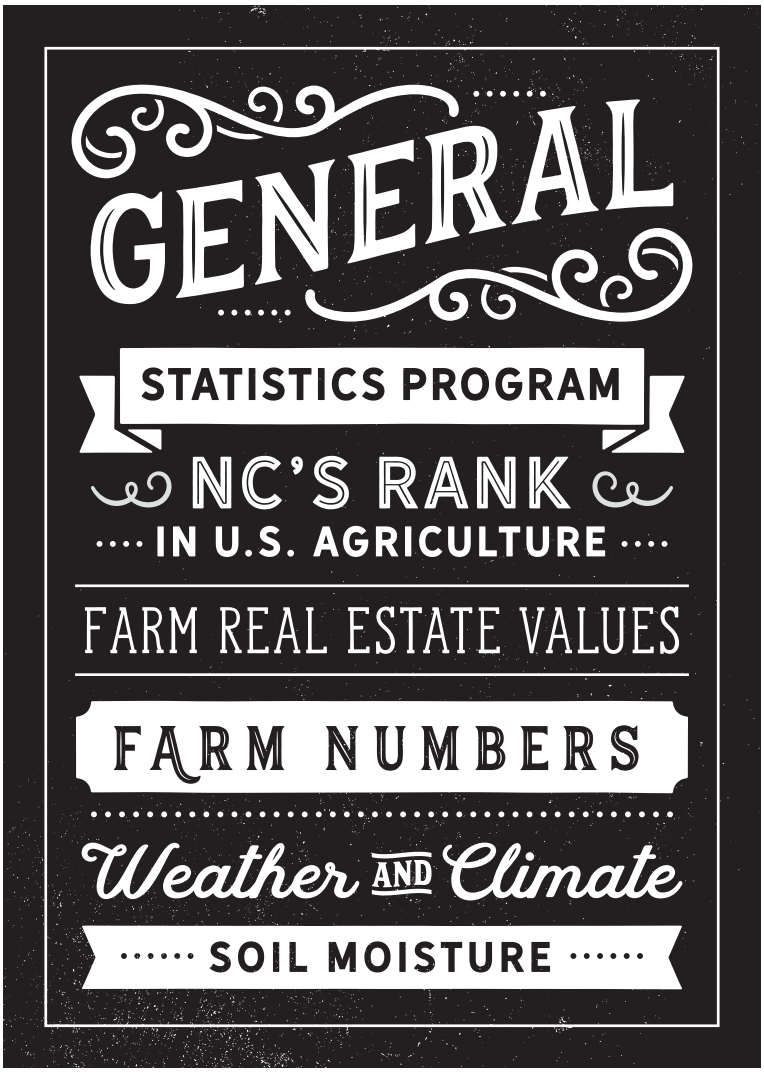
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SOIL MOISTURE

STATISTICAL REPORTS PROGRAM

The USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service compiles current and historic statistics concerning agriculture in North Carolina. 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 started in 1863. This is one of the oldest activities of the United States Department of Agriculture. It was recognized that there were 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 USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service publishes official statistics on North Carolina crops, livestock, prices, and various other agricultural items. The most requested reports and the approximate dates of releases are shown in the table below. These reports are free and available on the internet at ***www.ncagr.gov/stats***, ***www.nass.usda.gov/Publications/index.asp***, or by writing to: State Statistician, Agricultural Statistics, P.O. Box 27767, Raleigh, NC 27611 or E-mail at: ***ncagstat@ncagr.gov***. Current and historical data series can be found at ***http://quickstats.nass.usda.gov/***. For additional information regarding North Carolina agricultural statistics please email ***ncagstat@ncagr.gov***.

TYPE OF REPORT	FREQUENCY OF REPORT	APPROX. DATE AVAILABLE
CROP REPORTS		
Annual Crop Production	Annually	Second Week in January
Annual Vegetable Production	Annually	Last Week in January
Prospective Plantings	Annually	Last Week in March
Acreage Report	Annually	Last Week in June
Annual Fruit & Nut Production	Annually	First Week in July
Small Grains Summary	Annually	Last Week in September
Field Crop Production	Monthly (In Season)	Second Week of Each Month
Grain Stocks	Quarterly	First Week in January, Last Week in March, June & September
WEATHER-CROPS REPORTS	Weekly (Monthly: Jan. - Mar.)	Monday, 4:00 p.m.
LIVESTOCK REPORTS		
Hog and Pig Inventory and Pig Crop	Quarterly	Last Week in March, June, September & December
Cattle Cow Inventory and Calf Crop	Annually	Third Week in February
Sheep & Goats	Annually	Last Week in January
Meat Animals - Farm Production, Disposition & Income	Annually	Last Week in April
Commercial Slaughter	Monthly	Third Week of Each Month
DAIRY REPORTS		
Cows Milked & Milk Production	Quarterly	Third Week in January, April, July & October
Milk Production & Disposition	Annually	Last Week in April
POULTRY REPORTS		
Broiler Report	Weekly	Wednesday, 3:00 pm
Eggs, Chicken, and Hatchery	Monthly	Third Week of Each Month
Turkeys Raised	Annually	Last Week in April
Poultry Production, Disposition, & Income	Annually	Last Week in April
ECONOMIC REPORTS		
Number of Farms & Land in Farms	Annually	Second Week in February
Prices Received By Farmers	Monthly	Last Week of Each Month
Prices Paid By Farmers	Annually	Last Week in April
Labor, Wage Rates	Bi-Annually	Third week in May & November

NORTH CAROLINA'S RANK IN U.S. AGRICULTURE, 2017

Rank	Item	Production		N.C. % of U.S.	Top 3 States		
					1	2	3
1	**All Tobacco**	**360.0**	**(Mil Lbs)**	**50.7**	**NC**	**KY**	**VA**
	Flue-cured Tobacco	**358.6**	**(Mil Lbs)**	**77.8**	**NC**	**VA**	**GA**
	Sweet Potatoes	**19,690.0**	**(000 Cwt)**	**55.2**	**NC**	**CA**	**MS**
2	**All Poultry & Egg Cash Receipts**	**4,776.4**	**(Mil $)**	**11.2**	**GA**	**NC**	**AR**
	Annual Pig Crop Dec 16 - Nov 17	**18.9**	**(Mil Hd)**	**14.6**	**IA**	**NC**	**MN**
	Hogs & Pigs (12-1-17)	**9.0**	**(Mil Hd)**	**12.2**	**IA**	**NC**	**MN**
	Trout Sold (foodsize)	**4.2**	**(Mil Lbs)**	**7.8**	**ID**	**NC**	**PA**
	Turkeys	**32.5**	**(Mil Hd)**	**13.4**	**MN**	**NC**	**AR**
3	**Cucumbers**	**1,680.0**	**(000 Cwt)**	**8.4**	**MI**	**FL**	**NC**
	Strawberries : Fresh Market	**148.5**	**(000 Cwt)**	**0.5**	**CA**	**FL**	**NC**
4	Broilers	830.8	(Mil Hd)	9.3	GA	AL	AR
5	Bell Peppers	621.0	(000 Cwt)	4.2	CA	FL	NJ
	Burley Tobacco	1.4	(Mil Lbs)	0.9	KY	TN	PA
	Catfish Sold (foodsize)	2.6	(Mil Lbs)	0.8	MS	AL	AR
	Peanuts	479.7	(Mil Lbs)	6.6	GA	TX	AL
7	Blueberries	25.7	(Mil Lbs)	4.9	WA	OR	MI
	Cantaloup	225.5	(000 Cwt)	1.6	CA	AZ	FL
	Chickens (12-1-17) (Excludes Broilers)	23.4	(Mil Hd)	4.6	IA	IN	OH
	Eggs - Value of Production	460.1	(Mil $)	6.1	IA	GA	IN
	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry Cash Receipts	7,744.8	(Mil $)	4.4	TX	IA	NE
	Watermelon	1,950.0	(000 Cwt)	4.8	FL	CA	GA
8	All Commodity Cash Receipts	11,433.0	(Mil $)	3.1	CA	IA	TX
	Pumpkin	714.0	(000 Cwt)	4.6	IL	CA	OH
	Squash	223.1	(000 Cwt)	3.8	MI	OR	CA
	Upland Cotton [1]	741.0	(000 Bales)	3.7	TX	GA	MS
9	Apples	100.0	(Mil Lbs)	0.9	WA	NY	MI
	Cabbage	700.0	(000 Cwt)	3.0	CA	NY	WI
	Grapes	7,210.0	(Tons)	0.1	CA	WA	NY
	Tomatoes	957.0	(000 Cwt)	0.4	CA	FL	IN
11	Sorghum	750.0	(000 Bu)	0.2	KS	TX	CO
15	Snap Beans	207.2	(000 Cwt)	1.1	WI	NY	MI
16	Potatoes	3,473.0	(000 Cwt)	0.8	ID	WA	WI
	Winter Wheat	20.6	(Mil Bu)	1.6	KS	WA	OK
17	Crop Cash Receipts	3,688.1	(Mil $)	1.9	CA	IL	IA
	Soybeans	67.6	(Mil Bu)	1.5	IL	IA	MN
18	Corn for Grain	119.3	(Mil Bu)	0.8	IA	IL	NE
19	Peaches	2,600.0	(Tons)	0.4	CA	NJ	PA
22	Oats	660.0	(000 Bu)	1.3	MN	WI	ND
29	Milk	952.0	(Mil Lbs)	0.4	CA	WI	NY
32	Hay	1,503.0	(000 Tons)	1.1	TX	NE	KS
35	Cattle on Farms (1-1-18)	810.0	(000 Hd)	0.9	TX	NE	KS

[1] 480-lb. net weight bales.

FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES

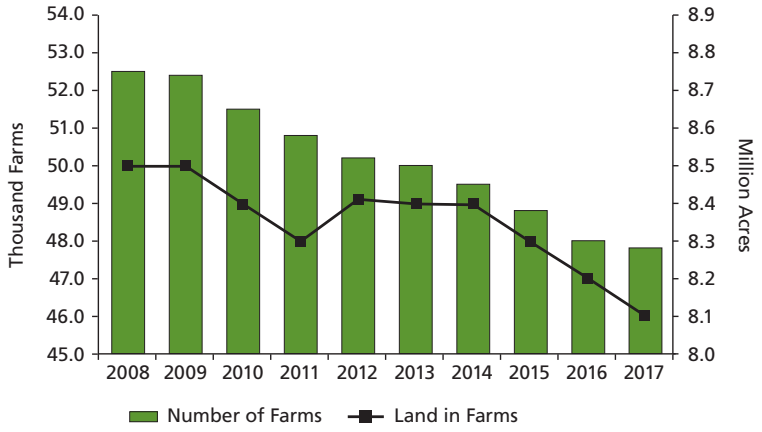
Year	Farm Real Estate Values per Acre January 1	Cropland		Pasture	
		Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre	Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre
	Dollars				
2013	4,340	4,050	77.50	4,530	26.00
2014	4,510	4,200	84.50	4,760	26.00
2015	4,500	4,100	88.50	4,700	27.00
2016	4,450	3,970	83.50	4,700	27.00
2017	4,450	3,970	88.50	4,700	26.00
2018	**4,480**	**3,990**	**87.00**	**4,660**	**28.00**

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 - $99,999	$100,000 +	$1,000 - $9,999	$10,000 - $99,999	$100,000 +
	Thousands	*Thousand Acres*	*Acres*	*Number*			*Thousand Acres*		
NORTH CAROLINA									
2013	50.0	8,400	168	28,400	13,000	8,600	1,600	1,500	5,300
2014	49.5	8,400	170	28,000	12,800	8,700	1,500	1,500	5,400
2015	48.8	8,300	170	27,500	12,800	8,500	1,400	1,500	5,400
2016	48.0	8,200	171	26,500	12,800	8,700	1,300	1,500	5,400
2017	**47.8**	**8,100**	**169**	**26,900**	**12,400**	**8,500**	**1,400**	**1,500**	**5,200**
UNITED STATES									
2013	2,102	914,030	435	1,081,880	619,390	400,740	95,120	193,880	625,030
2014	2,085	913,000	438	1,055,160	622,650	407,190	90,800	193,820	628,380
2015	2,068	912,000	441	1,036,660	622,850	408,490	87,790	191,570	632,640
2016	2,060	911,000	442	1,031,410	620,830	407,760	86,940	191,980	632,080
2017	**2,048**	**910,000**	**444**	**1,022,010**	**618,300**	**407,690**	**86,010**	**191,260**	**632,730**

[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.*

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS



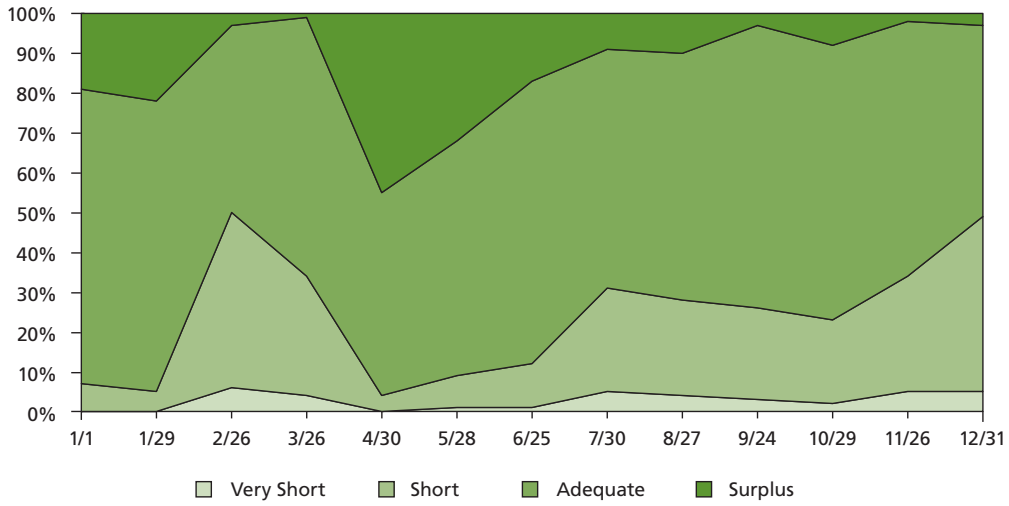
CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA, 2017

District	Average Temperatures												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
	Degrees Fahrenheit												
N. Mountain	39.4	43.0	43.1	56.6	61.2	67.0	72.3	68.9	63.1	55.8	44.9	36.3	54.3
S. Mountain	42.4	45.9	46.6	59.3	63.7	69.3	74.2	71.4	65.5	57.9	48.1	39.1	57.0
N. Piedmont	43.4	50.3	50.0	63.3	67.1	73.6	79.3	75.8	70.2	62.5	48.4	40.8	60.4
C. Piedmont	43.9	50.3	49.9	64.0	67.6	74.0	79.6	76.4	70.5	62.3	48.6	41.5	60.7
S. Piedmont	46.2	52.3	51.7	64.8	69.4	75.4	80.6	77.9	72.1	63.8	51.0	43.5	62.4
N. Coastal	45.5	51.1	49.9	65.8	69.1	75.8	80.3	77.2	73.2	65.9	52.7	44.8	62.6
C. Coastal	48.3	52.9	51.8	66.5	70.7	76.3	80.9	78.4	74.2	66.5	53.1	45.5	63.8
S. Coastal	49.3	53.6	52.1	66.6	71.6	76.5	81.1	78.9	74.6	66.1	53.0	46.0	64.1

District	Precipitation												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
	Inches of Water												
N. Mountain	5.09	1.32	4.45	7.31	9.91	3.45	4.62	4.26	4.51	8.44	1.48	1.74	56.58
S. Mountain	4.43	1.32	5.39	7.26	7.54	3.71	5.40	4.48	4.63	8.72	1.97	3.18	58.03
N. Piedmont	4.31	0.89	2.59	7.97	6.28	6.14	2.34	4.03	2.86	2.75	1.33	1.43	42.92
C. Piedmont	4.37	0.91	3.29	7.30	5.49	6.08	2.92	3.21	3.71	3.80	1.28	2.15	44.51
S. Piedmont	4.98	0.93	3.24	5.74	6.25	3.95	3.85	4.16	3.64	3.66	1.08	2.38	43.86
N. Coastal	3.81	1.08	4.10	5.75	5.69	5.37	5.95	6.07	3.82	3.12	1.71	3.72	50.19
C. Coastal	4.14	1.44	3.85	5.98	5.00	4.69	4.84	7.75	5.15	3.40	1.22	3.87	51.33
S. Coastal	3.11	1.58	2.95	6.90	4.70	5.56	5.88	7.16	5.63	3.37	0.90	4.23	51.97

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

TOP-SOIL MOISTURE PERCENTS STATEWIDE, 2017



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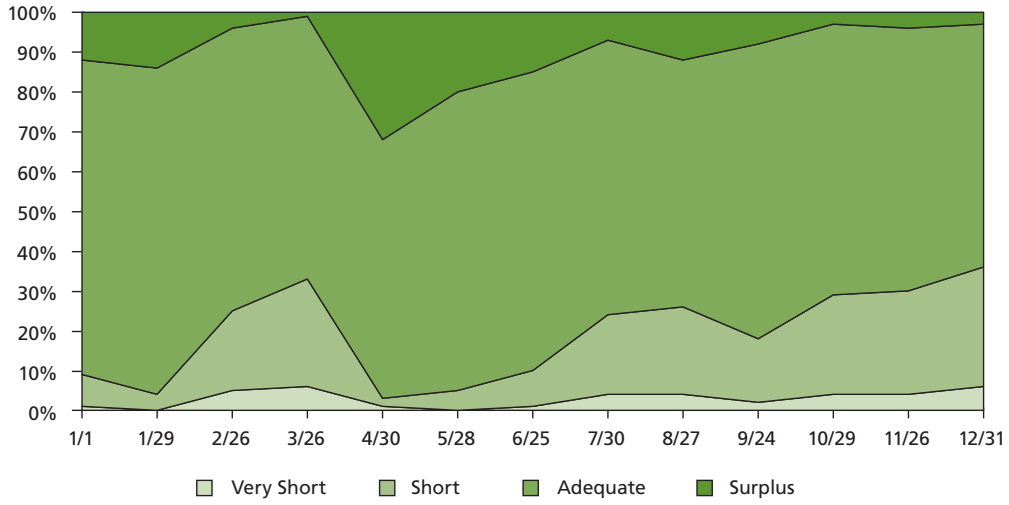

INCOME
& PRICES
FARM INCOME
PRICES RECEIVED
Prices Paid

DEFINITIONS & METHODOLOGY

Cash receipts for agricultural commodities are defined as the gross income from sales of crops, livestock, and livestock products during a calendar year. The USDA, Economic Research Service (ERS) uses USDA, National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS) estimates to develop state level cash receipts. The county level cash receipts in this publication are based on the ERS state level cash receipts and various county data. To ensure respondent confidentiality, estimates at any level, including county estimates, are not published if those estimates would disclose any information about individual operations. More information about ERS and NASS data can be found at the following websites:

http://www.ers.usda.gov/data-products/farm-income-and-wealth-statistics
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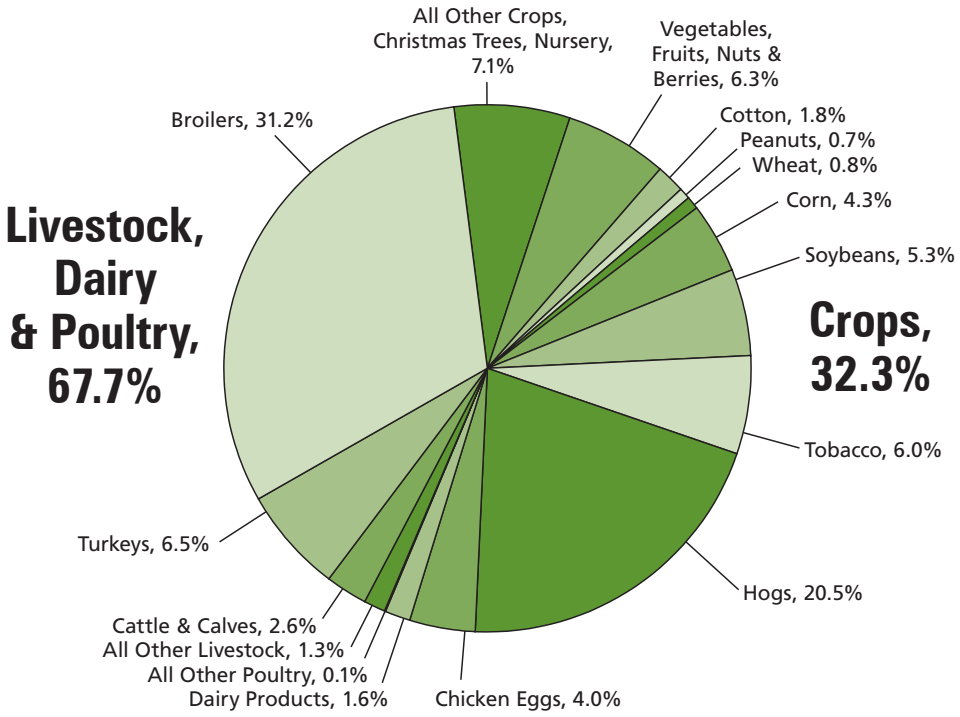
SOURCE OF FARM CASH RECEIPTS, NORTH CAROLINA, 2017

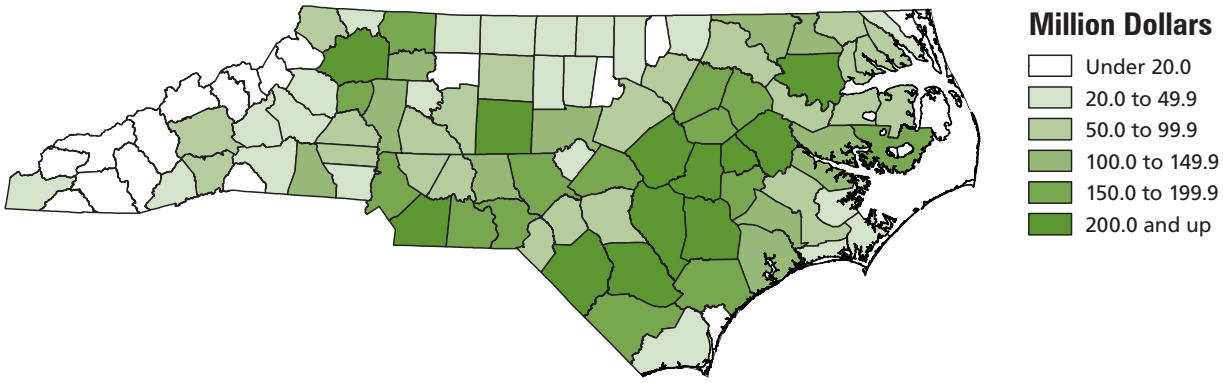
$11,432,976,000



[1] *All Other Crops includes hay, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and other miscellaneous crops.*

COUNTY CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS, 2017

Includes Crops, Livestock & Government Payments



CASH RECEIPTS
from Farm Marketings by Commodity

Commodities	2014	2015	2016	2017	2017 % of Total Sales
	Thousand Dollars				*Percent* [1]
All commodities	**12,947,415**	**11,647,747**	**10,565,954**	**11,432,976**	**100.0%**
Animals and products	**8,802,012**	**7,944,019**	**7,211,746**	**7,744,849**	**67.7%**
Meat animals	3,312,491	2,672,907	2,352,759	2,638,717	23.1%
Cattle and calves	424,622	409,746	255,295	294,288	2.6%
Hogs	2,887,869	2,263,161	2,097,464	2,344,429	20.5%
Dairy products, Milk	245,435	182,094	164,160	177,848	1.6%
Poultry and eggs	5,096,187	4,940,555	4,542,089	4,776,377	41.8%
Broilers	3,849,710	3,452,400	3,091,561	3,570,435	31.2%
Chicken eggs	501,063	588,368	444,441	460,106	4.0%
Farm chickens	12,251	14,824	12,698	6,812	0.1%
Turkeys	733,163	884,963	993,389	739,024	6.5%
Miscellaneous animals and products	147,899	148,463	152,738	151,908	1.3%
Aquaculture	11,873	12,347	12,727	12,237	0.1%
Catfish	3,985	3,878	4,164	3,126	*
Trout	7,888	8,469	8,563	9,111	0.1%
Honey	1,801	2,435	2,122	1,957	*
Mohair	23	22	N/A	N/A	N/A
Other animals and products	134,156	133,612	137,836	137,675	1.2%
All other animals and products	133,300	133,300	133,300	133,300	1.2%
Mink pelts	856	312	4,536	4,375	*
Wool	46	48	53	39	*
Crops	**4,145,403**	**3,703,728**	**3,354,208**	**3,688,127**	**32.3%**
Food grains	226,418	154,932	76,288	94,559	0.8%
Rye	4,110	4,943	5,158	6,500	0.1%
Wheat	222,307	149,989	71,130	88,059	0.8%
Feed crops	575,676	451,545	533,403	558,992	4.9%
Barley	2,230	1,817	598	N/A	N/A
Corn	501,386	377,139	467,824	494,990	4.3%
Hay	69,498	70,734	60,191	58,796	0.5%
Oats	2,563	1,855	888	1,174	*
Sorghum	N/A	N/A	3,903	4,033	*
Cotton	411,957	222,673	155,734	201,004	1.8%
Cotton lint	351,418	172,366	127,751	178,733	1.6%
Cotton lint, Upland	351,418	172,366	127,751	178,733	1.6%
Cottonseed	60,538	50,307	27,982	22,272	0.2%
Tobacco	850,574	790,272	668,596	688,252	6.0%
Oil crops	705,589	703,584	554,370	687,569	6.0%
Peanuts	54,762	110,868	51,832	79,489	0.7%
Soybeans	650,827	592,716	502,538	608,080	5.3%
Vegetables and melons	513,372	507,677	500,910	609,402	5.3%
Potatoes	47,347	41,704	31,465	33,194	0.3%
Potatoes, Spring	47,347	41,704	9,992	N/A	N/A
Potatoes, Summer	N/A	N/A	21,473	33,194	0.3%
Sweet potatoes	348,480	316,996	309,510	346,544	3.0%
Beans, Snap	8,931	6,964	5,976	9,069	0.1%
Beans, Snap, Fresh	6,536	3,565	3,435	5,468	*
Beans, Snap, Processing	2,395	3,399	2,541	3,602	*
Cabbage	9,660	6,864	13,073	10,570	0.1%
Cabbage, Fresh	9,660	6,864	13,073	10,570	0.1%
Corn, Sweet	8,316	12,121	N/A	N/A	N/A
Corn, Sweet, Fresh	8,316	12,121	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cucumbers	13,260	15,232	5,345	28,699	0.3%
Cucumbers, Fresh	10,488	12,528	2,422	9,794	0.1%
Cucumbers, Processing	2,772	2,704	2,924	18,905	0.2%
Pumpkins	N/A	N/A	23,164	13,143	0.1%
Peppers, bell	19,404	21,714	18,975	27,914	0.2%
Squash	8,413	6,660	6,138	10,112	0.1%
Tomatoes	35,700	47,058	52,086	103,506	0.9%
Tomatoes, Fresh	35,700	47,058	52,086	103,506	0.9%
Cantaloupe	N/A	N/A	6,618	5,863	0.1%
Watermelon	13,860	32,364	28,560	20,787	0.2%
Fruits and nuts	139,732	135,180	127,343	110,775	1.0%
Apples	30,763	21,274	24,461	24,247	0.2%
Grapes	4,358	5,561	4,386	5,287	*
Peaches	6,235	6,983	4,644	4,004	*
Blueberries	74,968	77,910	66,924	53,797	0.5%
Strawberries	23,408	23,452	26,928	23,440	0.2%
All other crops	722,086	737,864	737,564	737,574	6.5%
Floriculture	230,826	241,578	N/A	N/A	N/A
Mushrooms	376	402	402	412	*
Miscellaneous crops	490,884	495,884	737,162	737,162	6.4%

*SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. [1] Percents may not add due to rounding. * Less than 0.05 percent. N/A Not available or insufficient data.*

FARM INCOME [1]

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings and Government Payments, 2017

State	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		Crops		Total		Government Payments [2]		Total Cash Receipts	
	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank
	Receipts in Million Dollars									
Alabama	4,393.3	14	1,106.2	33	5,499.5	26	204.9	20	5,704.4	26
Alaska	7.4	50	29.8	50	37.2	50	6.6	47	43.8	50
Arizona	1,750.7	29	3,089.8	20	4,840.6	28	34.7	38	4,875.2	29
Arkansas	5,316.6	10	3,708.6	16	9,025.1	14	650.2	4	9,675.3	13
California	11,187.1	4	38,945.0	1	50,132.0	1	178.7	22	50,310.7	1
Colorado	4,612.4	12	2,168.8	26	6,781.1	22	268.7	18	7,049.8	21
Connecticut	175.4	44	357.0	41	532.4	46	5.0	49	537.4	46
Delaware	1,072.8	39	281.5	43	1,354.4	39	22.1	39	1,376.5	39
Florida	1,760.6	28	5,706.8	11	7,467.4	18	91.8	30	7,559.2	19
Georgia	5,836.7	9	3,013.5	21	8,850.2	15	391.7	11	9,241.9	15
Hawaii	161.8	45	505.3	38	667.0	44	11.5	43	678.6	44
Idaho	4,380.5	15	2,962.5	22	7,343.0	20	162.4	24	7,505.3	20
Illinois	2,579.0	24	14,031.4	2	16,610.4	6	609.0	6	17,219.4	6
Indiana	3,728.3	18	6,907.7	8	10,636.0	10	373.2	13	11,009.2	10
Iowa	13,409.7	2	13,570.2	3	26,979.8	2	691.4	3	27,671.2	2
Kansas	9,529.5	5	6,314.4	10	15,843.9	7	621.9	5	16,465.8	7
Kentucky	3,199.3	23	2,486.4	23	5,685.7	25	169.4	23	5,855.1	25
Louisiana	1,096.2	37	1,997.6	28	3,093.8	33	293.4	16	3,387.1	33
Maine	312.5	43	392.8	40	705.2	43	13.4	41	718.6	43
Maryland	1,337.5	34	869.2	36	2,206.7	36	58.0	35	2,264.8	36
Massachusetts	114.0	48	267.5	44	381.5	47	6.8	46	388.3	47
Michigan	3,226.9	22	4,156.6	15	7,383.5	19	200.6	21	7,584.1	18
Minnesota	7,582.8	8	9,704.1	4	17,286.9	5	460.9	9	17,747.8	5
Mississippi	3,332.4	21	2,399.9	25	5,732.3	24	311.9	15	6,044.3	24
Missouri	4,536.3	13	5,472.1	12	10,008.4	12	423.2	10	10,431.6	12
Montana	1,709.8	30	1,804.7	30	3,514.5	31	374.6	12	3,889.0	30
Nebraska	12,463.8	3	8,993.0	5	21,456.8	4	803.4	2	22,260.3	4
Nevada	476.2	42	170.9	46	647.1	45	9.3	45	656.4	45
New Hampshire	114.2	47	94.1	48	208.3	48	6.3	48	214.7	48
New Jersey	133.6	46	948.9	34	1,082.5	40	12.3	42	1,094.8	40
New Mexico	2,218.7	27	732.2	37	2,950.9	34	96.1	29	3,047.0	34
New York	3,340.3	20	1,877.1	29	5,217.5	27	76.1	33	5,293.6	27
North Carolina	**7,744.8**	**7**	**3,688.1**	**17**	**11,433.0**	**8**	**156.3**	**25**	**11,589.3**	**8**
North Dakota	1,240.9	36	6,836.4	9	8,077.2	17	588.4	7	8,665.6	17
Ohio	3,389.7	19	5,248.8	13	8,638.6	16	358.5	14	8,997.0	16
Oklahoma	5,215.2	11	1,467.9	31	6,683.1	23	289.1	17	6,972.3	22
Oregon	1,558.5	31	3,202.3	19	4,760.8	29	123.6	28	4,884.4	28
Pennsylvania	4,316.7	16	2,482.8	24	6,799.5	21	88.4	31	6,887.9	23
Rhode Island	22.7	49	48.9	49	71.6	49	2.8	50	74.4	49
South Carolina	1,367.5	33	935.3	35	2,302.8	35	85.0	32	2,387.8	35
South Dakota	3,907.0	17	5,132.9	14	9,040.0	13	566.3	8	9,606.2	14
Tennessee	1,405.4	32	2,128.1	27	3,533.6	30	150.0	26	3,683.6	31
Texas	14,337.4	1	8,564.1	6	22,901.5	3	936.6	1	23,838.1	3
Utah	1,324.4	35	414.3	39	1,738.8	37	47.0	37	1,785.8	37
Vermont	617.0	40	198.7	45	815.7	41	10.7	44	826.4	41
Virginia	2,326.0	26	1,157.7	32	3,483.8	32	75.9	34	3,559.7	32
Washington	2,536.5	25	7,799.4	7	10,335.9	11	212.9	19	10,548.8	11
West Virginia	560.5	41	148.2	47	708.7	42	17.8	40	726.5	42
Wisconsin	7,972.0	6	3,439.3	18	11,411.4	9	134.4	27	11,545.8	9
Wyoming	1,095.7	38	347.9	42	1,443.5	38	48.3	36	1,491.9	38
United States	176,034.3	-	198,306.8	-	374,341.1	-	11,531.6	-	385,872.7	-

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
	Million Dollars					*Million Dollars*			
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	6,932.9	4,183.7	2,749.3	363.9
1964	1,221.3	364.9	856.5	35.2	2004	8,203.6	5,355.6	2,848.0	209.5
1965	1,164.8	398.0	766.9	43.4	2005	8,147.4	5,620.8	2,526.6	1,194.2
1966	1,278.5	475.8	802.7	62.8	2006	7,901.8	5,175.7	2,726.1	738.4
1967	1,292.7	460.7	832.0	61.7	2007	8,805.2	5,900.8	2,904.5	569.8
1968	1,247.0	504.9	742.1	61.6	2008	9,472.1	6,293.9	3,178.2	518.6
1969	1,408.7	596.2	812.5	69.8	2009	9,108.0	5,668.2	3,439.8	456.1
1970	1,500.6	600.6	900.0	59.7	2010	9,777.0	6,333.6	3,443.4	438.4
1971	1,481.7	580.8	900.9	41.0	2011	10,333.0	6,802.1	3,530.9	401.1
1972	1,632.5	635.7	996.8	57.5	2012	11,549.4	7,344.2	4,205.2	430.4
1973	2,326.2	964.3	1,361.9	35.9	2013	12,672.2	8,305.6	4,366.6	411.3
1974	2,582.5	919.0	1,663.5	8.1	2014	12,947.4	8,802.0	4,145.4	346.1
1975	2,626.1	989.1	1,637.0	8.9	2015	11,647.7	7,944.0	3,703.7	91.1
1976	2,833.7	1,076.9	1,756.8	7.8	2016	10,566.0	7,211.7	3,354.2	180.1
1977	2,630.3	1,062.3	1,568.0	21.6	2017	11,433.0	7,744.8	3,688.1	156.3

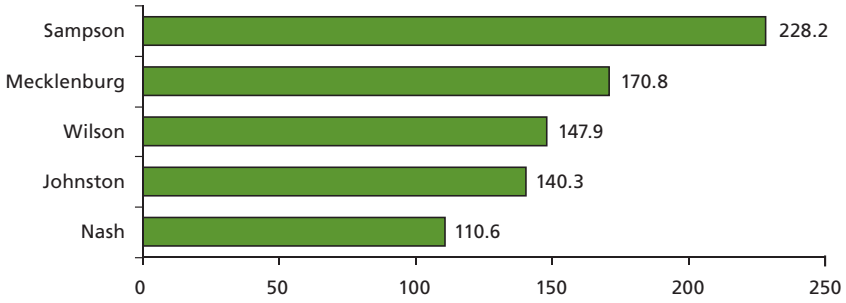
SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA

TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS

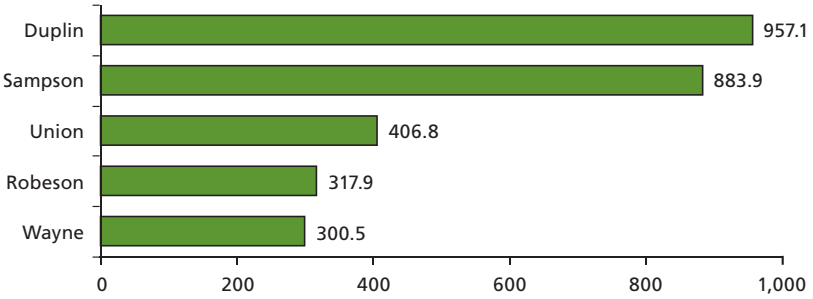
Livestock		Crops		Total [1]	
County	*Thousand Dollars*	*County*	*Thousand Dollars*	*County*	*Thousand Dollars*
Duplin	957,082	Sampson	228,167	Sampson	1,117,985
Sampson	883,867	Mecklenburg	170,762	Duplin	1,063,120
Union	406,785	Johnston	147,888	Union	492,755
Wayne	317,881	Wilson	140,312	Wayne	415,798
Robeson	300,526	Nash	110,629	Robeson	414,170
Bladen	286,662	Wayne	108,898	Bladen	364,634
Wilkes	267,860	Duplin	99,989	Wilkes	282,548
Randolph	217,884	Edgecombe	91,532	Johnston	251,581
Anson	181,494	Robeson	91,483	Greene	239,617
Alexander	179,523	Greene	90,737	Randolph	235,512

[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 [1]

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

[1] Ranking of published numbers only. [2] All Other Crops includes hay, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and other miscellaneous crops.
[3] Ranked 2nd, [4] Ranked 4th, [5] Ranked 6th , [6] Ranked 8th, [7] Ranked 9th, [8] Ranked 10th.

CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS [1] [2]

Counties	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Alamance	32,723	**34,334**	18,393	**19,744**	14,324	**14,533**	6	**57**
Alexander	168,978	**190,901**	160,243	**181,494**	8,727	**9,312**	7	**96**
Alleghany	33,335	**34,356**	13,372	**14,598**	19,945	**19,720**	18	**38**
Anson	184,205	**197,925**	167,625	**179,523**	16,075	**17,529**	505	**874**
Ashe	52,178	**53,271**	8,444	**9,470**	43,591	**43,751**	144	**51**
Avery	19,332	**19,441**	1,016	**1,059**	18,280	**18,342**	37	**41**
Beaufort	96,413	**108,693**	27,139	**26,878**	63,552	**77,083**	5,722	**4,732**
Bertie	194,589	**223,615**	133,753	**154,445**	46,617	**61,235**	14,219	**7,935**
Bladen	345,921	**364,634**	274,348	**286,662**	65,312	**73,881**	6,261	**4,090**
Brunswick	42,915	**47,903**	20,619	**22,326**	21,858	**25,294**	438	**283**
Buncombe	52,035	**54,521**	9,222	**10,126**	42,782	**44,042**	32	**353**
Burke	39,074	**42,970**	27,588	**30,962**	11,405	**11,890**	80	**117**
Cabarrus	50,231	**50,358**	38,621	**38,016**	11,499	**12,084**	110	**258**
Caldwell	19,198	**20,569**	9,323	**10,396**	9,718	**10,144**	156	**28**
Camden	38,245	**43,211**	1,682	**1,622**	35,508	**39,701**	1,055	**1,887**
Carteret	21,457	**23,519**	948	**936**	20,191	**22,348**	317	**235**
Caswell	28,512	**29,717**	12,695	**13,607**	15,727	**16,022**	91	**88**
Catawba	69,958	**79,455**	53,282	**60,775**	16,542	**18,429**	134	**252**
Chatham	114,222	**129,078**	105,874	**119,911**	8,230	**9,119**	117	**48**
Cherokee	31,428	**33,065**	21,983	**22,978**	9,174	**9,772**	270	**315**
Chowan	45,178	**50,821**	11,552	**13,308**	29,564	**35,196**	4,062	**2,317**
Clay	3,127	**3,378**	845	**900**	2,188	**2,281**	94	**197**
Cleveland	122,484	**137,627**	108,676	**120,284**	12,740	**16,265**	1,067	**1,079**
Columbus	129,829	**150,593**	68,741	**79,834**	55,976	**65,332**	5,112	**5,427**
Craven	45,826	**55,667**	16,509	**20,604**	28,316	**33,178**	1,000	**1,885**
Cumberland	89,624	**92,713**	50,913	**52,059**	37,068	**39,236**	1,644	**1,418**
Currituck	14,093	**16,159**	97	**107**	13,097	**14,696**	899	**1,356**
Dare	1,190	**1,358**	51	**52**	854	**1,088**	286	**218**
Davidson	53,409	**59,325**	36,284	**40,897**	16,822	**18,168**	304	**261**
Davie	21,862	**23,262**	13,199	**13,697**	8,242	**9,217**	421	**348**
Duplin	999,926	**1,063,120**	897,216	**957,082**	95,827	**99,989**	6,884	**6,049**
Durham	8,972	**9,357**	2,161	**2,241**	6,797	**7,095**	14	**21**
Edgecombe	145,994	**159,605**	52,742	**60,654**	82,181	**91,532**	11,071	**7,418**
Forsyth	13,207	**13,573**	3,603	**3,693**	9,227	**9,464**	377	**416**
Franklin	63,935	**74,114**	21,409	**24,528**	42,370	**49,141**	157	**445**
Gaston	19,425	**21,425**	14,737	**16,458**	4,601	**4,806**	86	**161**
Gates	64,708	**68,064**	36,654	**41,915**	19,944	**21,844**	8,109	**4,305**
Graham	3,654	**3,664**	2,979	**2,927**	652	**691**	23	**47**
Granville	23,282	**24,308**	4,672	**5,099**	18,459	**19,089**	151	**120**
Greene	229,280	**239,617**	147,438	**146,146**	79,556	**90,737**	2,286	**2,734**
Guilford	56,048	**55,728**	26,539	**27,394**	29,377	**28,134**	133	**200**
Halifax	91,182	**98,516**	22,107	**23,092**	61,116	**67,394**	7,958	**8,030**
Harnett	182,533	**197,979**	123,717	**134,142**	57,425	**62,000**	1,391	**1,837**
Haywood	15,705	**17,444**	9,028	**9,777**	6,631	**7,155**	47	**512**
Henderson	69,579	**73,914**	7,710	**8,401**	60,932	**64,993**	938	**520**
Hertford	91,565	**101,785**	51,184	**59,610**	34,686	**38,364**	5,696	**3,811**
Hoke	60,075	**61,780**	48,838	**49,960**	10,157	**11,145**	1,080	**675**
Hyde	154,697	**168,708**	100,227	**103,611**	48,872	**61,774**	5,598	**3,323**
Iredell	130,620	**144,913**	106,520	**114,911**	22,741	**28,658**	1,360	**1,344**
Jackson	9,566	**9,920**	730	**787**	8,682	**9,063**	154	**70**

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Counties	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Johnston	233,121	**251,581**	97,766	**107,586**	133,552	**140,312**	1,803	**3,683**
Jones	113,064	**132,334**	85,526	**96,719**	25,475	**33,385**	2,062	**2,231**
Lee	35,082	**36,832**	19,796	**22,318**	15,223	**14,345**	63	**169**
Lenoir	190,819	**191,170**	125,368	**120,871**	64,142	**68,419**	1,310	**1,880**
Lincoln	52,416	**59,326**	45,483	**51,858**	6,832	**7,219**	101	**249**
McDowell	26,953	**27,737**	8,429	**9,155**	18,491	**18,526**	33	**56**
Macon	11,079	**10,968**	8,689	**8,502**	2,255	**2,283**	135	**182**
Madison	6,439	**7,116**	2,320	**2,624**	4,106	**4,259**	13	**233**
Martin	79,778	**85,078**	15,981	**17,888**	47,877	**59,693**	15,920	**7,497**
Mecklenburg	174,545	**174,660**	3,912	**3,874**	170,633	**170,762**	*	**25**
Mitchell	2,664	**2,764**	567	**620**	2,090	**2,142**	6	**1**
Montgomery	107,669	**123,047**	99,582	**114,728**	7,834	**8,291**	253	**28**
Moore	136,030	**155,417**	119,211	**138,632**	16,732	**16,721**	86	**65**
Nash	169,452	**190,101**	67,183	**76,460**	98,684	**110,629**	3,585	**3,012**
New Hanover	6,186	**6,083**	227	**229**	5,949	**5,816**	10	**39**
Northampton	113,148	**126,376**	61,052	**70,543**	44,048	**49,738**	8,048	**6,095**
Onslow	151,731	**143,801**	126,551	**117,081**	24,927	**25,744**	252	**976**
Orange	36,018	**36,529**	18,296	**19,119**	17,504	**17,328**	219	**81**
Pamlico	22,821	**27,241**	719	**698**	20,013	**24,818**	2,090	**1,725**
Pasquotank	57,974	**66,187**	402	**398**	56,874	**64,273**	698	**1,516**
Pender	153,556	**172,689**	117,142	**132,543**	36,093	**38,828**	321	**1,318**
Perquimans	81,420	**92,793**	44,440	**50,232**	34,226	**39,721**	2,754	**2,840**
Person	34,644	**36,333**	4,725	**5,176**	29,869	**30,951**	51	**206**
Pitt	189,041	**209,195**	110,031	**121,292**	70,283	**81,995**	8,727	**5,908**
Polk	10,279	**10,490**	4,555	**4,673**	5,574	**5,696**	150	**121**
Randolph	209,448	**235,512**	192,309	**217,884**	16,918	**17,449**	221	**178**
Richmond	160,566	**183,742**	154,044	**176,694**	6,180	**6,866**	343	**183**
Robeson	360,852	**415,798**	275,173	**317,881**	82,174	**91,483**	3,504	**6,433**
Rockingham	28,919	**29,642**	6,570	**7,550**	22,237	**21,868**	111	**225**
Rowan	70,146	**76,447**	33,231	**37,339**	36,307	**38,340**	608	**767**
Rutherford	24,935	**28,711**	21,927	**25,033**	2,772	**3,270**	236	**409**
Sampson	1,095,368	**1,117,985**	880,606	**883,867**	209,059	**228,167**	5,703	**5,951**
Scotland	84,393	**95,002**	72,183	**82,066**	11,137	**12,101**	1,073	**835**
Stanly	88,493	**85,280**	59,136	**60,359**	27,608	**23,498**	1,749	**1,423**
Stokes	27,316	**28,080**	14,275	**15,238**	12,980	**12,821**	61	**21**
Surry	174,177	**194,107**	137,562	**156,354**	35,998	**37,211**	618	**541**
Swain	1,198	**1,215**	859	**835**	322	**345**	18	**35**
Transylvania	25,346	**25,677**	7,541	**7,374**	17,801	**18,249**	4	**54**
Tyrrell	46,572	**57,591**	6,009	**7,194**	37,053	**47,823**	3,510	**2,574**
Union	466,088	**492,755**	391,173	**406,785**	73,892	**82,451**	1,023	**3,520**
Vance	13,315	**13,123**	719	**768**	12,480	**12,180**	116	**174**
Wake	57,130	**56,719**	7,891	**7,959**	48,574	**48,300**	665	**460**
Warren	23,807	**25,637**	12,177	**13,330**	11,444	**12,079**	185	**228**
Washington	71,955	**80,974**	18,722	**18,231**	48,117	**58,539**	5,117	**4,204**
Watauga	13,013	**13,803**	6,451	**7,062**	6,498	**6,551**	64	**190**
Wayne	417,094	**414,170**	314,247	**300,526**	99,133	**108,898**	3,714	**4,745**
Wilkes	247,297	**282,548**	233,949	**267,860**	12,938	**14,508**	409	**180**
Wilson	141,929	**163,293**	9,834	**12,599**	129,081	**147,888**	3,015	**2,806**
Yadkin	100,080	**109,129**	72,228	**78,602**	25,734	**29,024**	2,118	**1,503**
Yancey	6,070	**6,517**	1,732	**1,943**	4,330	**4,369**	9	**205**
Published Counties	10,746,963	**11,589,276**	7,211,746	**7,744,849**	3,354,208	**3,688,127**	181,008	**156,298**
Other Counties	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
State Total	10,746,963	**11,589,276**	7,211,746	**7,744,849**	3,354,208	**3,688,127**	181,008	**156,298**

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Counties	Broilers		Cattle & Calves		Dairy		Eggs	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Alamance	2,492	**2,965**	5,383	**6,176**	4,378	**4,347**	4,843	**5,007**
Alexander	120,083	**138,812**	7,382	**8,538**	5,472	**5,928**	27,002	**27,918**
Alleghany	*	*	7,382	**8,538**	5,837	**5,928**	*	*
Anson	110,265	**127,209**	3,445	**3,997**	*	*	9,245	**9,559**
Ashe	*	*	5,998	**7,085**	365	**395**	85	**88**
Avery	*	*	461	**509**	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	400	**436**	*	*	*	*
Bertie	124,236	**143,539**	246	**291**	*	*	*	*
Bladen	42,671	**49,422**	954	**1,090**	*	*	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	584	**654**	*	*	44	**46**
Buncombe	24	**28**	4,552	**5,268**	2,918	**3,162**	273	**282**
Burke	20,580	**23,637**	1,292	**1,490**	*	*	4,696	**4,855**
Cabarrus	11,895	**13,752**	3,845	**4,360**	4,378	**4,743**	*	*
Caldwell	4,909	**5,587**	1,661	**1,926**	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	31	**36**	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	92	**109**	*	*	41	**42**
Caswell	*	*	2,707	**3,125**	*	*	8,218	**8,649**
Catawba	42,671	**49,422**	4,091	**4,723**	1,459	**1,581**	2,348	**2,428**
Chatham	75,146	**86,811**	11,842	**13,624**	4,013	**4,743**	9,098	**9,407**
Cherokee	*	*	1,415	**1,635**	*	*	*	*
Chowan	10,007	**11,603**	400	**436**	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	523	**581**	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	85,342	**98,844**	6,152	**7,085**	2,189	**2,371**	*	*
Columbus	11,517	**13,323**	2,707	**3,125**	*	*	73	**76**
Craven	*	*	308	**363**	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	8,119	**9,455**	892	**1,017**	*	*	*	*
Currituck	*	*	62	**73**	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	23,035	**26,645**	3,845	**4,360**	5,107	**5,533**	3,228	**3,338**
Davie	*	*	3,199	**3,633**	1,824	**1,976**	3,228	**3,338**
Duplin	259,801	**299,972**	6,921	**7,993**	365	**395**	13,501	**13,959**
Durham	*	*	677	**763**	365	**395**	73	**76**
Edgecombe	25,867	**29,868**	646	**727**	*	*	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	1,169	**1,344**	*	*	82	**85**
Franklin	6,608	**7,521**	4,921	**5,631**	*	*	*	*
Gaston	8,496	**9,670**	2,338	**2,689**	2,554	**2,767**	572	**592**
Gates	30,587	**35,240**	246	**291**	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	277	**327**	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	2,245	**2,580**	1,824	**1,976**	41	**42**
Greene	12,273	**14,182**	461	**509**	*	*	*	*
Guilford	*	*	4,460	**5,086**	5,107	**5,928**	10,419	**10,773**
Halifax	*	*	3,076	**3,633**	*	*	*	*
Harnett	95,160	**110,018**	2,184	**2,543**	*	*	47	**49**
Haywood	*	*	3,137	**3,633**	4,013	**4,347**	47	**49**
Henderson	5	**6**	1,599	**1,853**	5,472	**5,928**	56	**58**
Hertford	40,783	**46,844**	92	**109**	*	*	*	*
Hoke	20,391	**23,637**	400	**436**	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	7,175	**8,380**	15,225	**17,439**	47,424	**51,378**	33,752	**34,898**
Jackson	12	**13**	523	**581**	*	*	38	**39**

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Counties	Broilers		Cattle & Calves		Dairy		Eggs	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Johnston	35,119	**40,612**	3,999	**4,541**	*	*	880	**910**
Jones	11,140	**12,893**	338	**400**	*	*	*	*
Lee	15,105	**17,405**	1,169	**1,381**	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	7,741	**9,025**	707	**799**	*	*	3,522	**3,642**
Lincoln	29,643	**34,381**	4,460	**5,268**	10,214	**11,066**	100	**103**
McDowell	3,776	**4,298**	769	**872**	*	*	2,377	**2,458**
Macon	*	*	861	**981**	*	*	35	**36**
Madison	*	*	1,846	**2,144**	*	*	117	**121**
Martin	10,007	**11,603**	246	**291**	*	*	*	*
Mecklenburg	*	*	646	**727**	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	461	**509**	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	91,761	**105,721**	1,599	**1,853**	*	*	*	*
Moore	100,446	**116,035**	3,568	**4,178**	*	*	939	**971**
Nash	41,916	**48,563**	2,368	**2,725**	*	*	10,419	**10,773**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	35,874	**41,472**	277	**327**	*	*	*	*
Onslow	20,014	**22,992**	584	**654**	*	*	*	*
Orange	54	**62**	3,076	**3,633**	2,554	**2,767**	4,843	**5,007**
Pamlico	*	*	31	**36**	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	92	**109**	*	*	*	*
Pender	36,440	**42,116**	677	**763**	*	*	4,549	**4,704**
Perquimans	41,160	**47,273**	215	**254**	*	*	*	*
Person	*	*	2,399	**2,761**	*	*	*	*
Pitt	40,028	**45,984**	861	**981**	*	*	*	*
Polk	*	*	1,015	**1,163**	*	*	38	**39**
Randolph	138,208	**159,440**	13,995	**16,168**	16,416	**17,785**	15,849	**16,387**
Richmond	135,187	**156,432**	584	**654**	*	*	3,375	**3,490**
Robeson	188,054	**217,458**	2,491	**2,907**	*	*	59	**61**
Rockingham	*	*	3,076	**3,633**	*	*	*	*
Rowan	16,993	**19,554**	5,690	**6,721**	5,107	**5,533**	1,761	**1,821**
Rutherford	18,314	**21,058**	2,338	**2,689**	*	*	68	**70**
Sampson	154,446	**178,350**	8,459	**9,810**	*	*	8,805	**9,104**
Scotland	47,958	**55,439**	400	**436**	*	*	*	*
Stanly	33,986	**39,108**	3,999	**4,541**	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	3,999	**4,541**	*	*	8,805	**9,256**
Surry	104,600	**120,762**	7,074	**8,175**	*	*	19,811	**20,484**
Swain	*	*	123	**145**	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	9	**11**	738	**836**	*	*	56	**58**
Tyrrell	*	*	92	**109**	*	*	*	*
Union	243,186	**280,632**	6,152	**7,085**	*	*	41,089	**42,484**
Vance	*	*	492	**545**	*	*	*	*
Wake	23	**26**	1,077	**1,235**	*	*	100	**103**
Warren	*	*	2,307	**2,652**	*	*	*	*
Washington	*	*	431	**472**	*	*	*	*
Watauga	*	*	4,460	**5,086**	*	*	50	**52**
Wayne	55,888	**64,464**	2,645	**3,088**	*	*	2,818	**2,913**
Wilkes	203,914	**235,508**	12,150	**13,988**	4,378	**4,347**	12,033	**12,594**
Wilson	*	*	369	**400**	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	24,923	**28,794**	6,152	**7,085**	4,742	**5,138**	33,752	**34,898**
Yancey	*	*	1,200	**1,381**	365	**395**	35	**36**
Published Counties	3,086,061	**3,563,877**	255,203	**294,179**	148,838	**160,854**	307,337	**318,226**
Other Counties	5,500	**6,558**	92	**109**	15,322	**16,994**	137,104	**141,880**
State Total	3,091,561	**3,570,435**	255,295	**294,288**	164,160	**177,848**	444,441	**460,106**

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Counties	Hogs		Turkeys		Other Livestock & Poultry	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars					
Alamance	*	*	*	*	1,269	**1,218**
Alexander	*	*	*	*	283	**271**
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	85	**81**
Anson	10,375	**13,546**	34,101	**25,013**	85	**81**
Ashe	*	*	*	*	1,927	**1,849**
Avery	*	*	*	*	409	**392**
Beaufort	10,600	**10,680**	*	*	15,171	**14,555**
Bertie	*	*	*	*	472	**453**
Bladen	166,895	**187,554**	60,789	**45,478**	361	**347**
Brunswick	19,170	**20,839**	*	*	821	**787**
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	1,223	**1,173**
Burke	*	*	*	*	1,011	**970**
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	1,664	**1,597**
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	1,249	**1,198**
Camden	*	*	*	*	1,634	**1,568**
Carteret	*	*	*	*	801	**768**
Caswell	*	*	*	*	539	**518**
Catawba	*	*	*	*	2,623	**2,517**
Chatham	1,579	**1,302**	*	*	4,182	**4,012**
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	814	**781**
Chowan	1,128	**1,250**	*	*	3	**3**
Clay	*	*	*	*	264	**254**
Cleveland	45	**52**	11,713	**8,755**	2,267	**2,175**
Columbus	51,873	**61,216**	*	*	643	**617**
Craven	14,660	**18,755**	*	*	1,488	**1,427**
Cumberland	21,426	**26,049**	18,978	**14,098**	1,472	**1,412**
Currituck	*	*	*	*	29	**28**
Dare	*	*	*	*	35	**34**
Davidson	*	*	*	*	954	**915**
Davie	*	*	*	*	4,931	**4,731**
Duplin	462,344	**520,984**	154,198	**113,696**	86	**83**
Durham	*	*	*	*	1,029	**987**
Edgecombe	24,809	**28,654**	*	*	889	**853**
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	2,301	**2,208**
Franklin	6,089	**7,554**	*	*	1,866	**1,790**
Gaston	113	**104**	*	*	663	**636**
Gates	5,413	**5,991**	*	*	394	**378**
Graham	*	*	*	*	2,662	**2,554**
Granville	316	**260**	*	*	240	**230**
Greene	77,809	**88,567**	54,859	**40,931**	1,996	**1,915**
Guilford	1,804	**1,042**	*	*	4,649	**4,460**
Halifax	13,532	**13,546**	*	*	746	**715**
Harnett	22,553	**18,234**	*	*	1,772	**1,701**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	1,740	**1,670**
Henderson	*	*	*	*	566	**543**
Hertford	*	*	*	*	159	**153**
Hoke	20,073	**19,537**	6,227	**4,662**	1,668	**1,600**
Hyde	*	*	*	*	374	**359**
Iredell	*	*	*	*	2,850	**2,734**
Jackson	*	*	*	*	123	**118**

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Counties	Hogs		Turkeys		Other Livestock & Poultry	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars					
Johnston	42,851	**49,494**	10,675	**7,959**	4,242	**4,070**
Jones	65,405	**76,845**	8,303	**6,253**	320	**307**
Lee	*	*	*	*	1,001	**960**
Lenoir	65,405	**71,635**	47,445	**35,246**	547	**525**
Lincoln	90	**104**	*	*	975	**936**
McDowell	*	*	*	*	686	**659**
Macon	*	*	*	*	7,747	**7,432**
Madison	*	*	*	*	217	**209**
Martin	*	*	*	*	502	**481**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	3,172	**3,044**
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	45	**43**
Montgomery	3,834	**4,689**	*	*	38	**37**
Moore	*	*	*	*	2,981	**2,860**
Nash	12,404	**14,327**	*	*	75	**72**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	169	**162**
Northampton	24,809	**28,654**	*	*	81	**78**
Onslow	47,362	**49,494**	57,824	**43,204**	746	**716**
Orange	1,015	**1,172**	*	*	6,743	**6,469**
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	667	**640**
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	78	**75**
Pender	59,766	**72,938**	14,678	**11,029**	995	**954**
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	2,269	**2,177**
Person	902	**912**	*	*	298	**286**
Pitt	57,511	**63,821**	*	*	8,206	**7,873**
Polk	*	*	*	*	3,245	**3,113**
Randolph	5,638	**5,991**	*	*	2,202	**2,113**
Richmond	14,660	**15,890**	*	*	237	**227**
Robeson	76,681	**91,172**	6,375	**4,775**	1,367	**1,311**
Rockingham	451	**781**	*	*	891	**855**
Rowan	*	*	*	*	1,419	**1,361**
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	898	**862**
Sampson	453,323	**494,935**	250,571	**186,461**	1,720	**1,650**
Scotland	*	*	*	*	133	**127**
Stanly	789	**781**	17,496	**12,961**	275	**264**
Stokes	*	*	*	*	952	**914**
Surry	*	*	*	*	953	**914**
Swain	*	*	*	*	676	**649**
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	6,690	**6,419**
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	41	**39**
Union	*	*	96,374	**71,628**	3,099	**2,973**
Vance	*	*	*	*	202	**194**
Wake	*	*	*	*	6,467	**6,205**
Warren	*	*	*	*	640	**614**
Washington	*	*	*	*	6,562	**6,296**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	1,771	**1,700**
Wayne	126,299	**134,153**	121,579	**90,957**	3,925	**3,765**
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	1,430	**1,371**
Wilson	6,315	**8,596**	*	*	614	**589**
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	628	**602**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	115	**111**
Published Counties	1,998,116	**2,232,105**	972,187	**723,107**	165,436	**158,720**
Other Counties	99,348	**112,324**	21,202	**15,917**	*	*
State Total	2,097,464	**2,344,429**	993,389	**739,024**	165,436	**158,720**

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Counties	Corn		Cotton		Peanuts		Soybean	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Alamance	1,794	**1,224**	*	*	*	*	1,237	**1,781**
Alexander	399	**361**	*	*	*	*	*	**738**
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	**4,166**	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	26,262	**29,094**	5,448	**5,588**	*	*	21,278	**29,397**
Bertie	5,432	**5,656**	7,900	**11,122**	3,839	**6,343**	9,350	**14,042**
Bladen	10,648	**12,034**	*	*	*	*	3,892	**5,199**
Brunswick	3,623	**4,357**	*	*	*	*	*	**2,312**
Buncombe	51	**86**	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	497	**581**	*	*	*	*	250	*
Cabarrus	2,188	**2,457**	*	*	*	*	1,920	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	12,114	**14,682**	*	*	*	*	10,950	**11,316**
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	482	*	*	*	*	*	642	**1,088**
Catawba	1,323	**2,054**	*	*	*	*	2,396	**3,148**
Chatham	*	**1,075**	*	*	*	*	*	**998**
Cherokee	528	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	2,392	**2,814**	2,906	**5,588**	2,367	**3,977**	5,908	**5,901**
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	1,381	**1,946**	*	*	*	*	3,806	**5,901**
Columbus	17,323	**19,446**	*	*	*	*	12,749	**15,589**
Craven	10,752	**11,350**	*	*	*	*	7,136	**8,186**
Cumberland	4,556	**5,270**	*	**2,289**	*	*	4,982	**5,649**
Currituck	6,840	**6,905**	*	*	*	*	*	**6,144**
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	1,948	**2,668**	*	*	*	*	2,777	**3,553**
Davie	3,005	**2,934**	*	*	*	*	2,361	**3,445**
Duplin	23,688	**21,990**	*	**2,957**	*	*	16,849	**16,974**
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	10,251	**7,291**	3,269	**8,843**	2,498	**5,018**	14,453	**17,244**
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	461	*	*	*	*	*	3,347	**5,163**
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,271	**1,349**
Gates	3,083	**2,822**	6,356	**4,774**	1,768	**2,867**	7,439	**9,679**
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	739	**560**	*	*	*	*	1,081	**1,025**
Greene	7,076	*	*	**3,282**	*	**2,610**	11,962	**11,415**
Guilford	1,887	**1,473**	*	*	*	*	2,690	**3,607**
Halifax	4,032	**3,299**	21,930	**22,270**	3,419	**5,755**	11,616	**13,349**
Harnett	*	**2,610**	2,860	**2,194**	*	*	7,724	**8,240**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	1,273	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	*	**5,411**	4,813	**7,107**	2,625	**3,950**	*	*
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	18,789	**23,500**	3,460	**6,022**	*	*	13,580	**16,623**
Iredell	4,726	*	*	*	*	*	5,492	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Counties	Corn		Cotton		Peanuts		Soybean	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Johnston	*	**4,673**	2,270	**2,414**	724	**1,152**	13,623	**16,749**
Jones	8,816	**9,549**	3,678	**6,592**	*	*	*	*
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,081	*
Lenoir	12,531	**12,914**	1,589	**3,798**	*	*	12,568	**13,457**
Lincoln	*	**620**	*	*	*	*	1,972	**2,285**
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	3,619	**3,071**	8,627	**15,516**	4,527	**6,885**	7,240	**8,204**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	523	*	*	*	*	*	*	**1,034**
Nash	1,948	*	*	*	*	*	7,093	**9,886**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	6,481	**5,644**	18,752	**23,356**	2,861	**3,750**	10,985	**12,404**
Onslow	5,498	**6,229**	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	1,420	**1,286**	*	*	*	*	1,081	**1,295**
Pamlico	7,620	**10,790**	*	*	*	*	6,747	**7,592**
Pasquotank	*	**12,196**	*	*	*	*	*	**22,794**
Pender	7,855	*	*	*	*	*	5,268	*
Perquimans	9,182	*	4,268	**5,371**	*	*	14,929	**17,991**
Person	1,431	**1,021**	*	*	*	*	3,200	**3,472**
Pitt	13,580	**13,234**	1,589	**4,937**	3,612	**5,518**	16,348	**21,157**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	2,623	**1,926**	*	*	*	*	2,508	**2,968**
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	709	*
Robeson	34,491	**33,033**	4,359	**7,080**	*	*	22,065	**27,903**
Rockingham	764	**591**	*	*	*	*	1,375	**1,916**
Rowan	3,445	**4,955**	*	*	*	*	5,795	**6,288**
Rutherford	151	*	*	*	*	*	419	*
Sampson	19,441	**17,089**	5,585	**6,402**	*	*	20,067	**24,026**
Scotland	4,190	*	*	*	*	*	2,993	**3,544**
Stanly	5,891	**6,158**	9,989	*	*	*	6,375	**6,189**
Stokes	599	**548**	*	*	*	*	684	**765**
Surry	6,505	**5,943**	*	*	*	*	3,598	**4,435**
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	**838**	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	13,819	**15,894**	*	*	*	*	8,425	**13,763**
Union	13,410	**17,018**	*	*	*	*	23,163	**25,160**
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,574	**1,655**
Wake	208	**103**	*	*	*	*	2,655	**2,878**
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,730	**2,168**
Washington	16,975	**21,828**	4,041	**5,805**	653	**868**	14,704	**16,362**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	11,917	**12,462**	1,090	*	1,569	**2,270**	15,690	**21,787**
Wilkes	2,496	**3,291**	*	*	*	*	*	**600**
Wilson	7,245	**5,478**	1,907	**3,879**	1,290	*	10,466	**13,232**
Yadkin	5,378	**5,851**	*	*	*	*	5,181	**6,351**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Published Counties	419,596	**434,352**	126,685	**167,186**	31,752	**50,963**	441,452	**549,365**
Other Counties	48,228	**60,638**	29,049	**33,818**	20,080	**28,526**	61,086	**58,715**
State Total	467,824	**494,990**	155,734	**201,004**	51,832	**79,489**	502,538	**608,080**

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Counties	Tobacco		Wheat		Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts & Berries		All Other Crops [3]	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Alamance	3,728	**4,072**	440	**211**	826	**947**	6,300	**6,298**
Alexander	*	*	*	*	2,209	**2,532**	2,971	**2,970**
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	1,558	**1,786**	17,421	**17,416**
Anson	*	*	*	*	287	**329**	4,573	**4,572**
Ashe	*	*	*	*	928	**1,064**	42,445	**42,433**
Avery	*	*	*	*	505	**579**	17,675	**17,670**
Beaufort	7,194	*	704	**2,720**	776	**889**	1,648	**1,648**
Bertie	16,120	*	2,009	**2,007**	1,893	**2,170**	72	**72**
Bladen	*	*	464	*	34,240	**39,250**	4,654	**4,652**
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	12,969	**14,866**	2,759	**2,758**
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	8,761	**10,043**	33,855	**33,846**
Burke	*	*	*	*	1,009	**1,157**	9,585	**9,583**
Cabarrus	*	*	670	**704**	605	**693**	5,940	**5,939**
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	373	**427**	8,410	**8,408**
Camden	*	*	1,701	*	10,626	**12,181**	49	**49**
Carteret	*	*	*	*	1,381	**1,583**	1,303	**1,303**
Caswell	11,401	**10,816**	306	**166**	1,223	**1,402**	2,176	**2,176**
Catawba	*	*	1,080	**1,008**	3,265	**3,742**	8,478	**8,476**
Chatham	*	*	128	**211**	1,335	**1,531**	4,268	**4,267**
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	4,073	**4,669**	4,393	**4,392**
Chowan	*	*	801	**914**	5,419	**6,212**	9,545	**9,542**
Clay	*	*	*	*	1,456	**1,669**	282	**282**
Cleveland	*	*	1,681	**2,105**	3,017	**3,458**	2,855	**2,855**
Columbus	*	*	*	*	10,611	**12,164**	3,047	**3,046**
Craven	5,179	*	171	*	528	**605**	2,673	**2,672**
Cumberland	*	**13,343**	*	*	6,326	**7,252**	4,470	**4,469**
Currituck	*	*	826	**939**	467	**535**	172	**172**
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	148	**148**
Davidson	*	**1,462**	374	**316**	2,042	**2,341**	7,697	**7,695**
Davie	*	*	586	**632**	603	**692**	1,419	**1,419**
Duplin	9,672	**8,717**	919	**2,195**	26,780	**30,699**	13,148	**13,144**
Durham	*	*	*	*	436	**500**	5,339	**5,338**
Edgecombe	32,594	**30,920**	753	**2,024**	9,475	**10,861**	11,907	**11,904**
Forsyth	*	*	166	*	1,188	**1,362**	3,356	**3,355**
Franklin	16,120	**20,397**	850	**991**	1,946	**2,231**	19,590	**19,584**
Gaston	*	*	*	**343**	571	**654**	2,201	**2,200**
Gates	*	*	1,134	*	120	**137**	45	**45**
Graham	*	*	*	*	203	**233**	414	**414**
Granville	14,690	**13,936**	630	**717**	2,259	**2,590**	1,645	**1,644**
Greene	27,103	**32,535**	523	**1,055**	28,521	**32,694**	901	**901**
Guilford	12,207	**11,580**	865	**598**	1,756	**2,013**	13,421	**13,418**
Halifax	*	**15,178**	1,095	**666**	4,415	**5,061**	1,714	**1,713**
Harnett	*	**30,012**	*	**1,417**	6,477	**7,424**	9,801	**9,799**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	3,729	**4,275**	2,576	**2,575**
Henderson	*	*	*	*	24,601	**28,201**	34,685	**34,675**
Hertford	*	*	*	*	2,562	**2,937**	388	**388**
Hoke	*	*	332	*	47	**53**	692	**692**
Hyde	*	*	591	**1,405**	12,103	**13,874**	350	**350**
Iredell	*	*	*	**1,558**	1,141	**1,307**	8,624	**8,621**
Jackson	*	*	*	*	2,223	**2,549**	6,398	**6,396**

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Counties	Tobacco		Wheat		Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts & Berries		All Other Crops [3]	
	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars							
Johnston	45,701	**41,577**	1,051	**1,072**	52,260	**59,907**	12,772	**12,768**
Jones	*	**8,602**	*	**858**	254	**291**	425	**425**
Lee	11,222	**10,646**	118	*	702	**805**	1,726	**1,726**
Lenoir	25,269	**24,354**	694	**1,153**	5,656	**6,484**	5,248	**5,246**
Lincoln	*	*	*	**534**	1,243	**1,425**	2,248	**2,247**
McDowell	*	*	*	*	358	**411**	17,979	**17,974**
Macon	*	*	*	*	786	**902**	1,134	**1,134**
Madison	*	*	*	*	1,453	**1,666**	2,378	**2,377**
Martin	20,594	**22,461**	601	**606**	1,914	**2,194**	756	**755**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	**107**	396	**454**	169,421	**169,374**
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	466	**534**	1,529	**1,529**
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	1,532	**1,756**	4,384	**4,383**
Moore	*	*	347	**320**	1,282	**1,469**	6,428	**6,426**
Nash	39,394	**39,513**	718	**611**	41,613	**47,702**	5,238	**5,237**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	126	**144**	5,131	**5,130**
Northampton	*	*	*	**1,985**	384	**440**	711	**711**
Onslow	*	*	105	*	1,330	**1,525**	5,587	**5,585**
Orange	3,526	**3,039**	266	**192**	2,100	**2,407**	9,111	**9,108**
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	3,889	**4,459**	604	**604**
Pasquotank	*	*	1,886	**1,896**	23,112	**26,494**	215	**215**
Pender	*	*	*	*	10,109	**11,588**	11,421	**11,418**
Perquimans	*	*	3,289	**4,329**	1,212	**1,389**	845	**845**
Person	26,111	**24,770**	*	**1,353**	626	**718**	1,359	**1,359**
Pitt	22,972	**21,792**	446	**854**	2,327	**2,668**	5,672	**5,670**
Polk	*	*	*	*	744	**852**	4,740	**4,739**
Randolph	2,962	*	621	**794**	2,407	**2,759**	5,797	**5,795**
Richmond	*	*	*	*	1,810	**2,075**	1,299	**1,298**
Robeson	8,060	*	4,105	**4,018**	4,957	**5,682**	2,244	**2,243**
Rockingham	16,205	**15,373**	684	**632**	1,381	**1,583**	3,593	**3,592**
Rowan	*	*	2,771	**1,908**	7,703	**8,831**	16,002	**15,998**
Rutherford	*	*	147	*	902	**1,034**	1,153	**1,153**
Sampson	48,361	**48,612**	914	**2,724**	97,391	**111,641**	14,696	**14,692**
Scotland	*	*	*	**679**	346	**397**	900	**899**
Stanly	*	*	*	**2,267**	537	**615**	2,193	**2,192**
Stokes	8,286	**7,860**	*	**111**	1,490	**1,708**	3,185	**3,184**
Surry	13,527	**12,833**	831	*	3,785	**4,339**	8,945	**8,942**
Swain	*	*	*	*	118	**136**	166	**166**
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	991	**1,136**	16,139	**16,134**
Tyrrell	*	*	1,251	**2,553**	12,156	**13,935**	40	**39**
Union	*	*	8,870	**11,357**	5,041	**5,779**	22,889	**22,883**
Vance	8,846	**8,373**	473	**399**	450	**516**	1,090	**1,090**
Wake	16,100	**14,700**	320	**521**	5,153	**5,907**	23,743	**23,737**
Warren	7,800	**7,400**	425	**538**	306	**351**	1,629	**1,628**
Washington	1,269	**1,090**	611	**1,614**	7,579	**8,688**	2,284	**2,284**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	523	**599**	5,904	**5,903**
Wayne	36,170	**33,090**	*	**3,394**	20,678	**23,703**	10,001	**9,998**
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	1,825	**2,092**	3,696	**3,695**
Wilson	35,425	**44,254**	*	**589**	43,783	**50,189**	28,501	**28,493**
Yadkin	*	*	1,056	*	616	**706**	3,025	**3,025**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	582	**667**	3,645	**3,644**
Published Counties	553,810	**583,307**	52,398	**74,868**	628,253	**720,177**	808,302	**808,077**
Other Counties	114,786	**104,945**	18,732	**13,191**	*	*	*	*
State Total	668,596	**688,252**	71,130	**88,059**	628,253	**720,177**	808,302	**808,077**

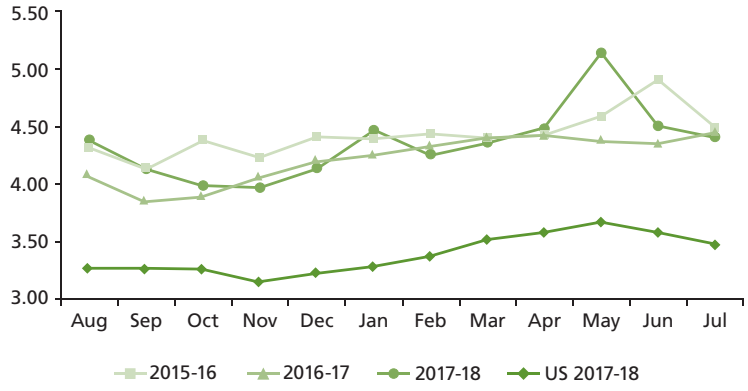
*[1] Cash receipts from farm marketings represent gross returns from the actual sales of crops and livestock products during the calendar year. [2] Totals may not equal sum of counties due to rounding. [3] All Other Crops includes hay, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and all other miscellaneous crops. *Cash receipts are not published for some counties to avoid disclosure of individual farming operations. USDA NASS County Estimating Program Policies and Standards apply.*

VALUE ADDED TO THE NORTH CAROLINA ECONOMY BY THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars				
Value of crop production	**4,194,587**	**4,152,570**	**3,346,973**	**3,305,892**	**3,729,045**
Crop cash receipts	4,366,506	4,145,403	3,703,728	3,354,208	**3,688,127**
Cotton	417,685	411,957	222,673	155,734	**201,004**
Feed crops	634,040	575,676	451,545	533,403	**558,992**
Food grains	330,183	226,418	154,932	76,288	**94,559**
Fruits and nuts	124,020	139,732	135,180	127,343	**110,775**
Oil crops	950,991	705,589	703,584	554,370	**687,569**
Tobacco	760,644	850,574	790,272	668,596	**688,252**
Vegetables and melons	455,549	513,372	507,677	500,910	**609,402**
All other crops	693,393	722,086	737,864	737,564	**737,574**
Home consumption	1,175	1,084	879	1,376	**1,906**
Inventory adjustment	-173,094	6,083	-357,634	-49,692	**39,012**
Value of animals and products production	**8,271,873**	**8,835,647**	**7,967,571**	**7,279,224**	**7,703,598**
Animals and products cash receipts	8,305,629	8,802,012	7,944,019	7,211,746	**7,744,849**
Dairy products, Milk	198,806	245,435	182,094	164,160	**177,848**
Meat animals	3,177,702	3,312,491	2,672,907	2,352,759	**2,638,717**
Miscellaneous livestock	148,456	147,899	148,463	152,738	**151,908**
Poultry and eggs	4,780,665	5,096,187	4,940,555	4,542,089	**4,776,377**
Home consumption	4,203	3,832	4,502	2,551	**2,213**
Inventory adjustment	-37,959	29,804	19,050	64,927	**-43,464**
Farm-related income	**1,526,952**	**1,581,163**	**1,426,950**	**1,818,722**	**1,978,014**
Forest products sold	20,244	17,107	14,850	47,874	**62,158**
Gross imputed rental value of farm dwellings	394,143	352,878	297,909	295,015	**375,610**
Machine hire and customwork	59,241	31,482	22,211	34,136	**43,282**
Other farm income	1,053,324	1,179,696	1,091,980	1,441,697	**1,496,964**
Total commodity insurance indemnities	141,428	120,210	145,202	386,925	**234,162**
Federal commodity insurance indemnities	136,756	116,733	139,643	309,972	**204,618**
Net cash rent received by operator landlords [2]	12,772	12,107	15,602	13,620	**15,088**
Value of agricultural sector production	**13,993,412**	**14,569,381**	**12,741,494**	**12,403,838**	**13,410,657**
Intermediate product expenses [1]	**8,854,147**	**8,758,302**	**7,780,662**	**7,823,326**	**8,089,548**
Farm origin	5,457,160	5,108,137	4,476,707	4,427,106	**4,659,232**
Feed purchases	4,410,000	4,050,000	3,470,000	3,440,000	**3,520,000**
Livestock and poultry purchases	677,160	678,137	626,707	617,106	**699,232**
Seed purchases	370,000	380,000	380,000	370,000	**440,000**
Manufactured inputs	1,448,211	1,426,201	1,296,238	1,147,456	**1,238,838**
Electricity	151,027	144,744	147,653	128,152	**141,273**
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	530,000	520,000	470,000	420,000	**440,000**
Pesticides	310,000	330,000	320,000	300,000	**310,000**
Petroleum fuel and oils	457,184	431,457	358,585	299,304	**347,565**
Other intermediate expenses [1]	1,948,776	2,223,964	2,007,717	2,248,764	**2,191,478**
Machine hire and custom work	37,320	34,308	55,297	44,219	**28,843**
Marketing, storage, and transportation	216,740	305,794	204,566	246,619	**250,863**
Repair and maintenance [1]	349,691	379,722	306,659	337,768	**340,806**
Miscellaneous expenses [1]	1,345,025	1,504,140	1,441,195	1,620,158	**1,570,966**
Total insurance premiums [4]	179,272	198,225	167,840	181,546	**188,495**
Federal commodity insurance premiums	67,076	65,455	57,973	62,534	**68,347**
Irrigation	619	897	881	576	**568**
Contract labor	**178,212**	**122,469**	**152,646**	**82,533**	**103,468**
Net government transactions	**192,730**	**64,788**	**-139,736**	**-48,192**	**-95,860**
Direct government payments	411,331	346,093	91,137	181,008	**156,298**
Property taxes and fees [1]	218,601	281,306	230,874	229,201	**252,158**
Motor vehicle registration and licensing fees	18,601	21,306	20,874	19,201	**22,158**
Gross value added	**5,153,783**	**5,753,397**	**4,668,449**	**4,449,786**	**5,121,781**
Capital consumption [1]	674,040	881,535	745,770	808,860	**686,631**
Net value added	4,479,743	4,871,862	3,922,679	3,640,927	**4,435,150**
Factor payments to stakeholders [3]	**1,051,905**	**1,017,781**	**1,014,667**	**1,182,156**	**1,248,709**
Hired labor and non-cash empolyee compensation	651,788	617,531	597,354	757,467	**786,532**
Net rent paid to operator landlords	17,254	15,606	16,378	15,285	**16,925**
Net rent paid to nonoperator landlords	134,172	121,676	127,695	119,169	**131,954**
Total interest expenses [1]	248,691	262,968	273,240	290,235	**313,298**
Net farm income	**3,427,837**	**3,854,081**	**2,908,012**	**2,458,770**	**3,186,441**

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. Data as of August 30, 2017. Values are rounded to the nearest thousand. [1] Including expenses associated with operator dwellings. [2] Share rent income is included in cash receipts. [3] Prior to 2008, factor payments to stakeholders only includes net rent paid to nonoperator landlords. [4] Includes federal and private crop and livestock insurance premiums as well as casualty, hail, motor vehicle and all other insurance premiums.

MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR CORN
(Dollars per Bushel)



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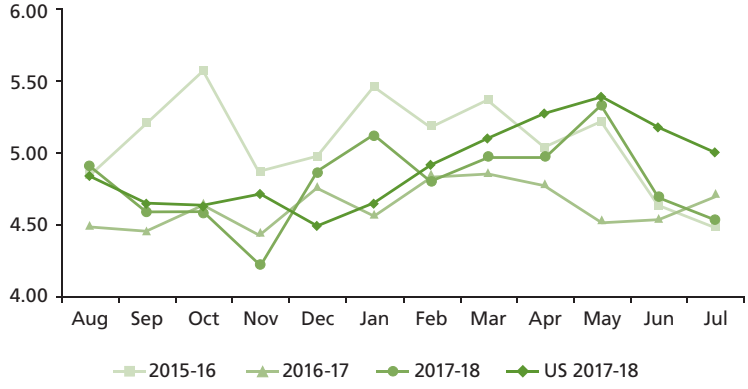

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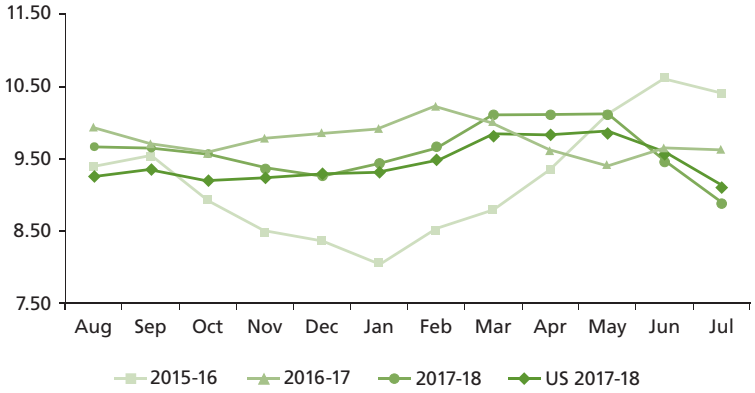
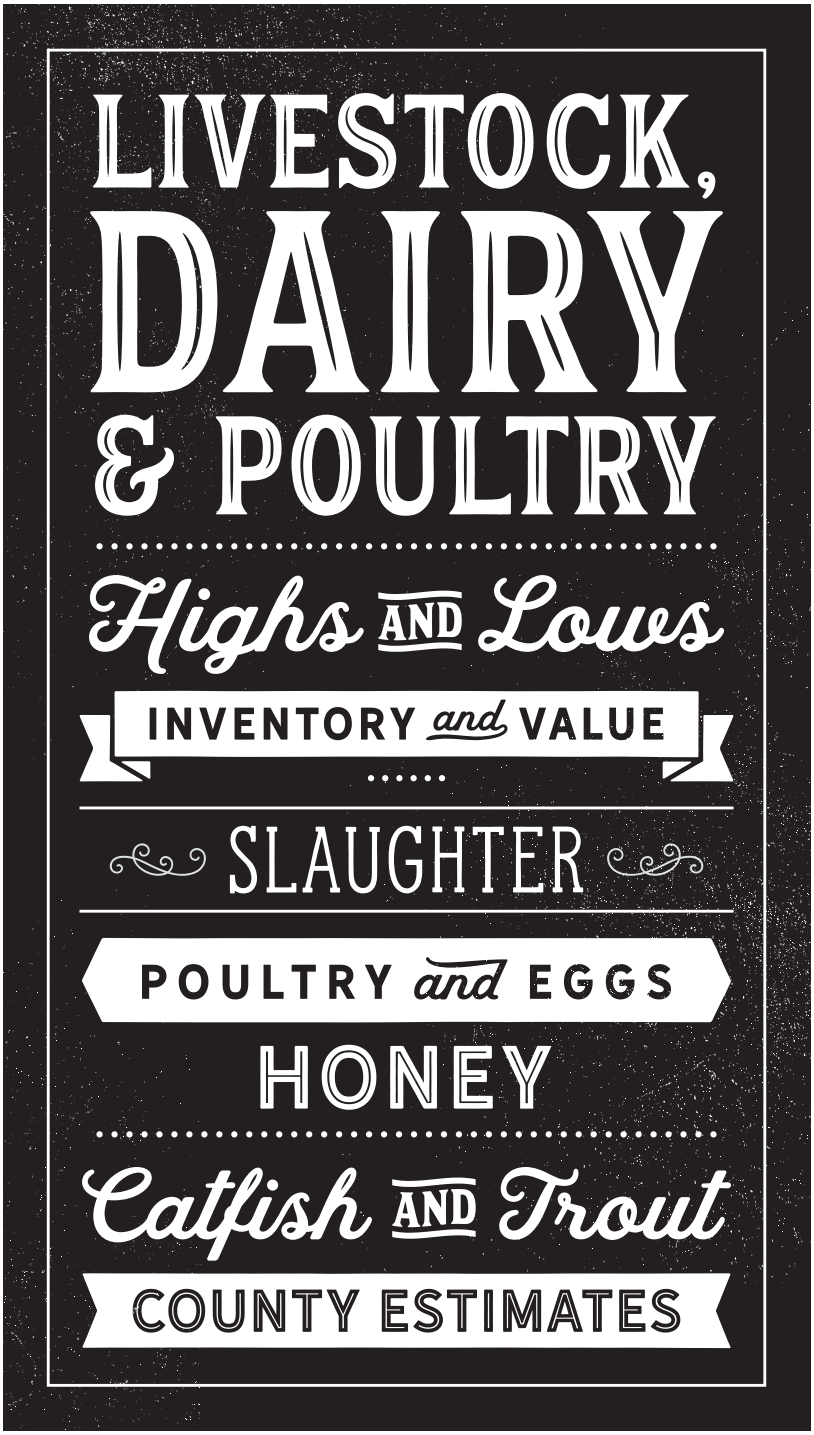


PRICES RECEIVED

Marketing Year Average Prices for Specified Crops

Year	Flue-Cured Tobacco per Lb.	Burley Tobacco per Lb.	Cotton per Lb. [1]	Soybeans per Bu.	Corn per Bu.	Peanuts per Lb.	Winter Wheat per Bu.	All Hay per Ton	Sweet Potatoes per Cwt.	Potatoes per Cwt.	Apples per Lb. [2]
	Dollars										
2013	2.11	2.04	0.82	13.10	4.96	0.28	6.28	110.00	24.90	(D)	0.22
2014	2.01	1.85	0.67	10.20	4.19	0.26	5.16	114.00	22.00	(D)	0.25
2015	1.85	1.95	0.62	8.68	4.32	0.22	4.90	126.00	19.40	(D)	0.21
2016	1.94	1.89	0.66	9.80	4.07	0.21	4.61	116.00	18.10	10.90	0.24
2017	**2.00**	**1.94**	**0.68**	**9.45**	**4.20**	**0.24**	**4.65**	**115.00**	**15.30**	**11.40**	**0.25**

[1] Based on Marketings and monthly prices received from August 1–December 31. [2] Utilized Production. (D) Not published to avoid disclosure of individual farming operations.


LIVESTOCK,
DAIRY
& POULTRY
Highs AND Lows
INVENTORY and VALUE
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HONEY
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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
			Thousands		*Thousands*
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	2010	43
Milk Production (Lbs)	1924	1985	1,748,000	2010	866,000
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	**2017**	**23,371**	1931	8,670
Egg Production	1924	**2017**	**3,935,300**	1930	542,000
Commercial Broilers	1934	**2017**	**830,800**	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	
	2017	2018	2017	2018
	Thousand Head		*Thousand Head*	
Cattle - Total [1]	830	**810**	93,705	**94,399**
Cows & Heifers that have calved	415	**415**	40,559	**41,123**
Beef Cows	370	**370**	31,213	**31,723**
Milk Cows	45	**45**	9,346	**9,400**
Heifers 500 pounds and over	116	**108**	20,132	**20,245**
For Beef Cow replacement	69	**66**	6,368	**6,131**
For Milk Cow replacement	22	**19**	4,754	**4,781**
Other Heifers	25	**23**	9,010	**9,332**
Steers 500 pounds and over	43	**37**	16,384	**16,352**
Bulls 500 pounds and over	31	**30**	2,244	**2,252**
Calves under 500 pounds	225	**220**	14,386	**14,427**
Sheep - Total	30	**25**	5,250	**5,230**
Breeding Sheep & Lambs	25	**19**	3,875	**3,830**
Replacement Lambs	4	**3**	660	**655**
Ewes 1 year plus	19	**14**	3,045	**3,008**
Rams 1 year plus	2	**2**	170	**170**
Market Sheep & Lambs	5	**6**	1,375	**1,400**
Goats - Total [2]	-	**-**	2,640	**2,620**
Angora Goats [2]	-	**-**	152	**142**
Milk Goats	6	**7**	373	**380**
Meat and Other Goats	50	**47**	2,115	**2,098**
	Number on Farms December 1		Number on Farms December 1	
	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Head		*Thousand Head*	
All Hogs and Pigs	9,300	**9,000**	71,545	**73,415**
Breeding Hogs	880	**900**	6,110	**6,179**
Market Hogs	8,420	**8,100**	65,435	**67,236**
Under 50 Pounds	3,160	**3,190**	20,887	**21,447**
50-119 Pounds	1,950	**1,790**	18,102	**18,549**
120-179 Pounds	1,680	**1,570**	13,786	**14,030**
180 Pounds and above	1,630	**1,550**	12,660	**13,209**
Chickens - Total [3]	23,343	**23,371**	496,119	**504,536**
Layers	15,227	**15,162**	377,299	**382,266**

[1] Totals may not add due to rounding. [2] North Carolina not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations. [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
	Dollars	*Thousand Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*
2014	950	769,500	120	1,056,000	8.10	176,693	191	5,157
2015	1,240	992,000	77	685,300	7.90	181,266	203	6,090
2016	1,170	936,000	79	734,700	7.90	184,410	187	5,984
2017	**900**	**747,000**	**86**	**774,000**	**7.80**	**182,294**	**188**	**5,640**
2018	**900**	**729,000**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**193**	**13,510**

MEAT ANIMALS

Numbers, Production, Disposition, Price and Income

Species	2014	2015	2016	2017
Hogs and Pigs		*Thousands*		
Number:				
Beginning Inventory: (Dec 1 preceding year)	8,500	8,800	8,900	**9,300**
Pig Crop: (December-November)	16,547	17,494	19,108	**18,871**
Inshipments	578	743	657	**606**
Marketings [1]	15,243	16,211	17,454	**17,731**
Farm Slaughter [2]	2	1	1	**1**
Deaths	1,580	1,925	1,910	**2,045**
Production (Lbs) [3]	3,538,079	3,925,202	4,133,672	**4,249,667**
Marketings (Lbs) [4]	3,597,742	3,976,238	4,135,477	**4,341,770**
Value of Production ($)	2,821,777	2,209,833	2,067,317	**2,270,058**
Cash Receipts from Sales ($) [5]	2,887,869	2,263,161	2,097,464	**2,344,429**
Value of Home Consumption ($)	729	515	622	**668**
Gross Income ($)	2,888,598	2,263,676	2,098,086	**2,345,097**
Ending Inventory December 1	8,800	8,900	9,300	**9,000**
Cattle and Calves				
Number:				
On hand January 1 (Total)	810	800	800	**830**
Calves Born	365	360	370	**365**
Inshipments	6	6	7	**7**
Marketings: [1]				
Cattle	213	207	191	**223**
Calves	140	131	126	**143**
Farm Slaughter [2]	1	2	2	**1**
Deaths:				
Cattle	11	11	10	**10**
Calves	17	16	19	**16**
Production: [3]				
Total Cattle and Calves (Lbs)	292,733	283,776	293,693	**296,717**
Marketings (Lbs) [4]	297,070	290,150	270,570	**313,350**
Value of Production ($)	412,922	404,242	272,237	**277,545**
Cash Receipts from Sales ($) [5]	424,622	409,746	255,295	**294,288**
Value of Home Consumption ($)	5,137	4,942	4,290	**3,424**
Gross Income ($)	429,759	414,688	259,585	**297,712**
Ending Inventory (Total)	800	800	830	**810**
(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 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.

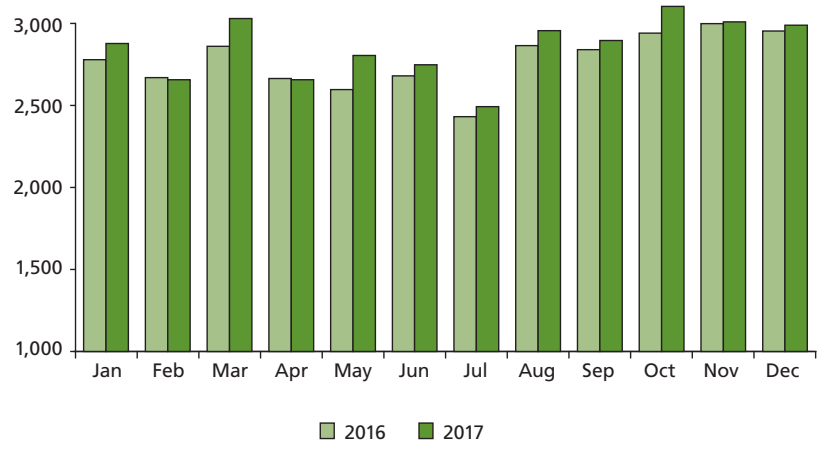
NORTH CAROLINA COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, 2017 [1]

Month	Cattle All Species		Calves		Hogs		Sheep & Lambs	
	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight	Number Slaughtered	Total Live Weight
	Thousand Head	*Thousand Pounds*	*Thousand Head*	*Thousand Pounds*	*Thousand Head*	*Thousand Pounds*	*Thousand Head*	*Thousand Pounds*
January	5.5	6,779	0.1	33	(D)	(D)	1.1	80
February	5.1	6,275	0.1	36	(D)	(D)	0.9	64
March	6.1	7,499	0.1	26	(D)	(D)	0.9	67
April	5.3	6,460	0.1	38	(D)	(D)	1.1	77
May	6.0	7,384	0.1	53	(D)	(D)	1.6	105
June	6.1	7,455	0.1	38	(D)	(D)	1.4	96
July	5.0	6,114	0.1	45	(D)	(D)	1.0	71
August	6.2	7,636	0.1	52	(D)	(D)	1.4	97
September	5.6	6,898	0.1	25	(D)	(D)	1.7	125
October	5.9	7,323	0.1	27	(D)	(D)	1.2	82
November	5.7	6,942	0.1	40	(D)	(D)	1.2	85
December	5.0	6,079	0.1	22	(D)	(D)	1.1	76
Annual Total [2]	**67.5**	**82,842**	**1.0**	**435**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**14.6**	**1,026**

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. [1] Includes slaughter under federal inspection and other commercial slaughter, excludes farm slaughter. [2] Months may not add to totals due to rounding.

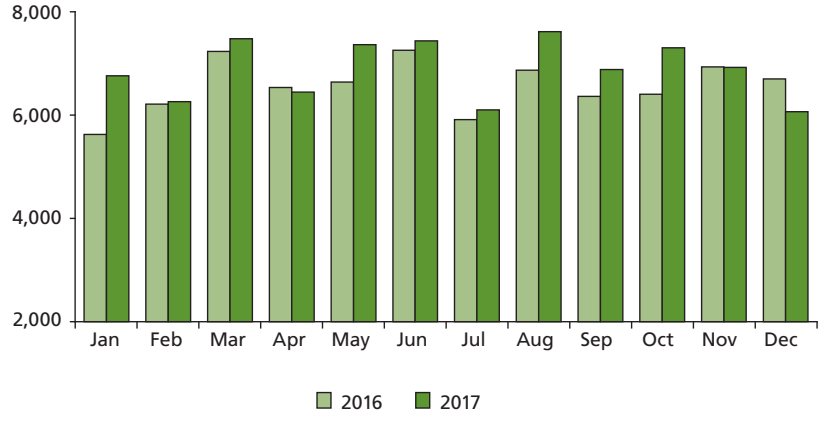
UNITED STATES COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER

Total Live Weight *(Million Pounds)*



NORTH CAROLINA COMMERCIAL CATTLE SLAUGHTER

Total Live Weight *(Thousand Pounds)*



COMMERCIAL BROILERS
Production and Value

Year	Number Produced	Pounds Produced	Value of Production
	Thousands	*Thousands*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	786,600	5,899,500	3,580,997
2014	795,200	6,043,500	3,849,710
2015	822,700	6,417,100	3,452,400
2016	818,700	6,467,700	3,091,561
2017	**830,800**	**6,563,300**	**3,570,435**
US 2017 [1]	**8,913,000**	**55,569,300**	**30,229,700**

[1] Excludes states producing less than 500,000 broilers.

TURKEYS
Production and Value

Year	Number Raised	Pounds Produced	Value of Production
	Thousands	*Thousands*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	33,500	1,139,000	757,435
2014	28,500	997,500	733,163
2015	31,000	1,091,200	884,963
2016	33,500	1,202,650	993,389
2017	**32,500**	**1,144,000**	**739,024**
US 2017	**242,500**	**7,494,651**	**4,841,545**

EGGS
Production and Value

Year	Average Number Layers During Year	Average Eggs Laid Annually per Layer	Eggs Produced	Value of Production
	Thousands	*Number*	*Millions*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	12,990	245	3,184	431,359
2014	13,457	251	3,381	501,063
2015	14,459	253	3,659	588,368
2016	14,501	257	3,731	444,441
2017	**15,223**	**259**	**3,935**	**460,106**
US 2017	**375,845**	**281**	**105,689**	**7,551,021**

CHICKENS
Lost, Sold and Value of Sales [1]

Year	Number Lost [2]	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Value of Sales
	Thousands	*Thousands*	*Thousands*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	3,319	11,021	76,045	10,874
2014	2,900	12,524	83,911	12,251
2015	3,400	13,841	96,887	14,824
2016	3,946	15,107	104,084	12,698
2017	**4,040**	**14,958**	**103,207**	**6,812**
US 2017	**126,311**	**187,659**	**991,979**	**46,674**

[1] Excludes commercial broilers. [2] Includes rendered, died, destroyed, composted, or disappeared for any reason except sold during the 12-month period.

HONEY
Production, Stocks and Value

Year	Honey Producing Colonies [1]	Yield per Colony	Production	Stocks December 15 [2]	Average Price per Pound [3]	Value of Production [4]
	Thousands	*Pounds*	*Thousand Pounds*	*Thousand Pounds*	*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	10	38	380	84	3.67	1,395
2014	12	43	516	88	3.49	1,801
2015	12	45	540	103	4.51	2,435
2016	12	37	444	89	4.78	2,122
2017	**11**	**41**	**451**	**99**	**4.34**	**1,957**
US 2017 [5]	**2,669**	**55.3**	**147,638**	**30,577**	**215.60**	**318,308**

[1] Honey producing colonies are the maximum number of colonies from which honey was taken during the year. It is possible to take honey from colonies which did not survive the entire year. [2] Stocks held by producers. [3] Average price per pound based on expanded sales. [4] Value of production is equal to production multiplied by average price per pound. [5] Due to rounding, total colonies multiplied by total yield may not exactly equal production.

CATFISH OPERATIONS

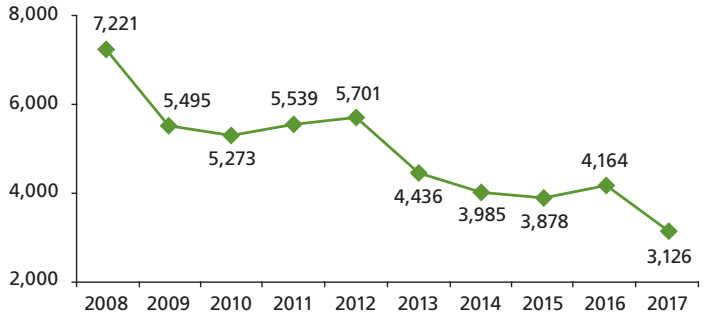
State	Water Surface Acres During Jan 1–Jun 30		Total Sales All Sizes	
	2017	2018	2016	2017
	Acres		*Thousand Dollars*	
Alabama	15,000	14,800	119,989	114,596
Arkansas	5,000	4,800	19,086	20,607
California	1,300	1,300	5,230	5,051
Mississippi	34,400	36,100	213,372	214,596
North Carolina	**1,200**	**1,100**	**4,164**	**3,126**
Texas	1,900	1,700	17,722	15,636
Other States [1]	1,990	2,060	6,422	6,101
United States	**60,790**	**61,860**	**385,985**	**379,713**

[1] *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
	Thousands		*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	2,750	4,000	1.10	4,400
2014	1,990	3,400	1.17	3,978
2015	2,120	3,250	1.17	3,803
2016	1,930	3,500	1.16	4,060
2017	**1,380**	**2,600**	**1.18**	**3,068**
US 2017	**199,830**	**330,428**	**1.08**	**355,432**

CATFISH SALES
(Thousand Dollars)



TROUT OPERATIONS

State	Value of Fish Sold		Value of Distributed Fish	
	2016	2017	2016	2017
	Thousand Dollars			
Arkansas	-	-	2,612	3,198
California	3,958	3,854	9,952	11,049
Colorado	2,196	2,066	6,339	7,164
Georgia	406	(D)	1,266	1,231
Idaho	50,298	49,968	11,111	11,496
Michigan	1,402	1,492	5,106	4,667
Missouri	2,686	2,819	2,614	3,173
New York	617	569	3,361	3,310
North Carolina	**8,563**	**9,111**	**(D)**	**2,243**
Oregon	(D)	(D)	9,547	8,642
Pennsylvania	5,909	6,276	13,124	9,192
Utah	633	694	7,820	6,976
Virginia	1,442	1,747	1,365	1,916
Washington	(D)	(D)	18,792	19,603
West Virginia	1,231	1,066	(D)	2,580
Wisconsin	1,558	1,694	2,699	2,196
Other States [1]	24,084	28,012	33,232	34,155
United States [2]	**104,983**	**109,368**	**129,526**	**132,247**
United States [3]	**113,904**	**118,212**	**(NA)**	**(NA)**

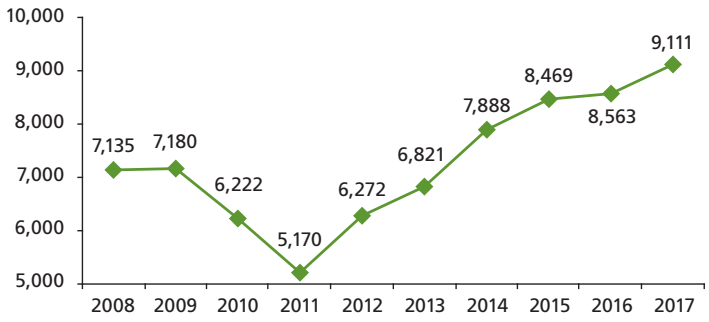
- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (N/A) Not available. [1] Other States include state estimates not listed and states suppressed due to disclosure. [2] Excludes value of eggs. [3] Includes value of eggs.

TROUT
Sales of Foodsize Fish or Larger [1]

Year	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	Thousands		*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*
2013	3,310	3,700	1.67	6,179
2014	3,310	4,050	1.70	6,885
2015	3,220	3,700	2.11	7,807
2016	3,960	4,400	1.74	7,656
2017	**3,500**	**4,150**	**1.90**	**7,885**
US 2017	**40,265**	**53,286**	**1.89**	**100,647**

[1] Twelve inches or longer.

TROUT SALES
(Thousand Dollars)

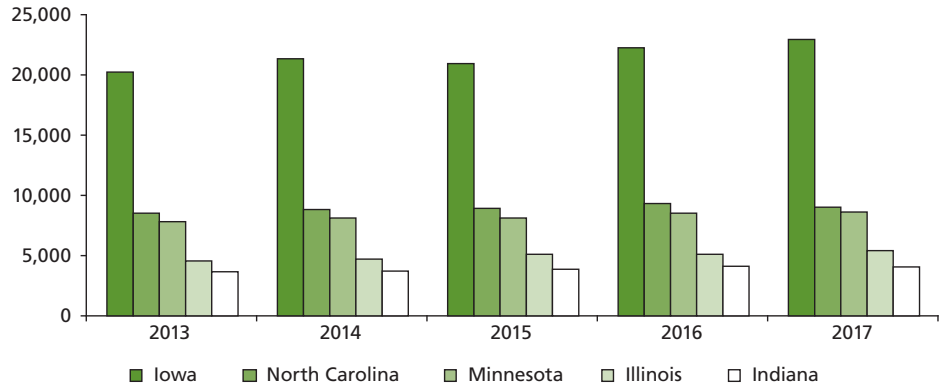


HOGS AND PIGS
Number on Farms, December 1

Year	Total	By Class		Market Hogs and Pigs, By Weight Group [1]					
		Breeding Hogs	Market Hogs and Pigs	Under 60 Pounds	60-119 Pounds	Under 50 Pounds	50-119 Pounds	120-179 Pounds	180 Pounds and Over
	Thousands								
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	9,600	980	8,620	-	-	3,020	2,290	1,700	1,610
2009	9,600	930	8,670	-	-	3,090	2,200	1,760	1,620
2010	8,900	840	8,060	-	-	2,950	1,970	1,640	1,500
2011	8,900	850	8,050	-	-	3,050	1,870	1,560	1,570
2012	8,900	860	8,040	-	-	3,020	1,960	1,615	1,445
2013	8,500	870	7,630	-	-	2,600	1,800	1,630	1,600
2014	8,800	880	7,920	-	-	3,010	1,830	1,580	1,500
2015	8,900	870	8,030	-	-	3,050	1,880	1,590	1,510
2016	9,300	880	8,420	-	-	3,160	1,950	1,680	1,630
2017	**9,000**	**900**	**8,100**	**-**	**-**	**3,190**	**1,790**	**1,570**	**1,550**

[1] Market hog weight groups have changed. The market weight group under 60 pounds has been changed to under 50 pounds. The market weight group 60-119 pounds has been changed to 50-119 pounds. Estimates have been made for these new weight groups dating back to March of 2008 at the US and state level using slaughter data and current import and export data.

HOGS AND PIGS
Leading States, December 1 *(Thousand Head)*



HOGS
Number on Farms, December 1

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
Alamance	*	*	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	*	*	Montgomery	17,000	**18,000**
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	(D)	**(D)**
Anson	46,000	**52,000**	Nash	55,000	**55,000**
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	110,000	**110,000**
Beaufort	47,000	**41,000**	Onslow	210,000	**190,000**
Bertie	(D)	**(D)**	Orange	4,500	**4,500**
Bladen	740,000	**720,000**	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	85,000	**80,000**	Pasquotank	(D)	*
Buncombe	(D)	*	Pender	265,000	**280,000**
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	(D)	**(D)**
Cabarrus	(D)	**(D)**	Person	4,000	**3,500**
Caldwell	(D)	**(D)**	Pitt	255,000	**245,000**
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	25,000	**23,000**
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	65,000	**61,000**
Catawba	*	*	Robeson	340,000	**350,000**
Chatham	7,000	**5,000**	Rockingham	2,000	**3,000**
Cherokee	*	*	**Rowan**	(D)	**(D)**
Chowan	5,000	**4,800**	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	2,010,000	**1,900,000**
Cleveland	200	**200**	Scotland	(D)	**(D)**
Columbus	230,000	**235,000**	Stanly	3,500	**3,000**
Craven	65,000	**72,000**	Stokes	(D)	*
Cumberland	95,000	**100,000**	Surry	(D)	**(D)**
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	*	*	Tyrrell	(D)	**(D)**
Davie	*	*	Union	(D)	**(D)**
Duplin	2,050,000	**2,000,000**	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	*	*
Edgecombe	110,000	**110,000**	Warren	(D)	**(D)**
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	(D)	**(D)**
Franklin	27,000	**29,000**	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	500	**400**	Wayne	560,000	**515,000**
Gates	24,000	**23,000**	Wilkes	*	*
Graham	*	*	Wilson	28,000	**33,000**
Granville	1,400	**1,000**	Yadkin	(D)	**(D)**
Greene	345,000	**340,000**	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	8,000	**4,000**	Other Counties	440,500	**431,200**
Halifax	60,000	**52,000**			
Harnett	100,000	**70,000**	**State Total**	9,300,000	**9,000,000**
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	(D)	**(D)**			
Hoke	89,000	**75,000**			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	*	*			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	190,000	**190,000**			
Jones	290,000	**295,000**			
Lee	(D)	**(D)**			
Lenoir	290,000	**275,000**			
Lincoln	400	**400**			
McDowell	*	*			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	(D)	**(D)**			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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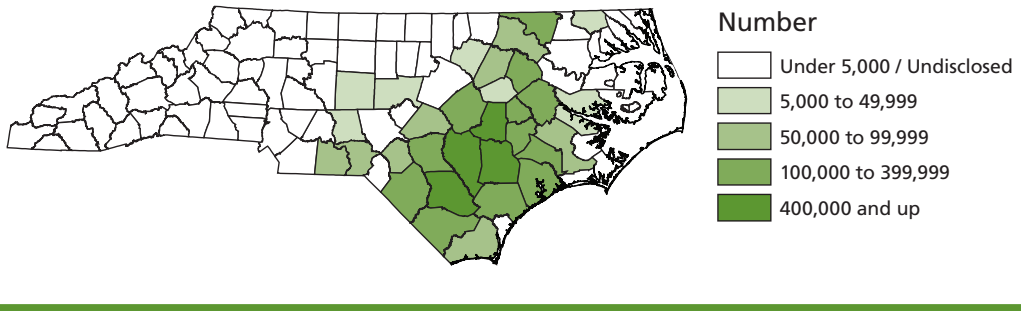
HOGS

Number on Farms, December 1, 2017

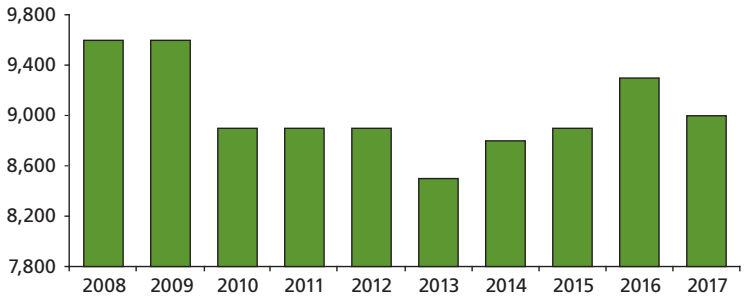
Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Duplin	2,000,000
Sampson	1,900,000
Bladen	720,000
Wayne	515,000
Robeson	350,000
Greene	340,000
Jones	295,000
Pender	280,000
Lenoir	275,000
Pitt	245,000

[1] *Ranking of published counties only.*



HOGS

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



ALL CATTLE
Number on Farms, January 1

Counties	2017	2018	Counties	2017	2018
	Head			*Head*	
Alamance	17,500	**17,000**	Mitchell	1,500	**1,400**
Alexander	24,000	**23,500**	Montgomery	5,200	**5,100**
Alleghany	24,000	**23,500**	Moore	11,600	**11,500**
Anson	11,200	**11,000**	Nash	7,700	**7,500**
Ashe	19,500	**19,500**	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	1,500	**1,400**	Northampton	900	**900**
Beaufort	1,300	**1,200**	Onslow	1,900	**1,800**
Bertie	800	**800**	Orange	10,000	**10,000**
Bladen	3,100	**3,000**	Pamlico	100	**100**
Brunswick	1,900	**1,800**	Pasquotank	300	**300**
Buncombe	14,800	**14,500**	Pender	2,200	**2,100**
Burke	4,200	**4,100**	Perquimans	700	**700**
Cabarrus	12,500	**12,000**	Person	7,800	**7,600**
Caldwell	5,400	**5,300**	Pitt	2,800	**2,700**
Camden	100	**100**	Polk	3,300	**3,200**
Carteret	300	**300**	Randolph	45,500	**44,500**
Caswell	8,800	**8,600**	Richmond	1,900	**1,800**
Catawba	13,300	**13,000**	Robeson	8,100	**8,000**
Chatham	38,500	**37,500**	Rockingham	10,000	**10,000**
Cherokee	4,600	**4,500**	Rowan	18,500	**18,500**
Chowan	1,300	**1,200**	Rutherford	7,600	**7,400**
Clay	1,700	**1,600**	Sampson	27,500	**27,000**
Cleveland	20,000	**19,500**	Scotland	1,300	**1,200**
Columbus	8,800	**8,600**	Stanly	13,000	**12,500**
Craven	1,000	**1,000**	Stokes	13,000	**12,500**
Cumberland	2,900	**2,800**	Surry	23,000	**22,500**
Currituck	200	**200**	Swain	400	**400**
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	2,400	**2,300**
Davidson	12,500	**12,000**	Tyrrell	300	**300**
Davie	10,400	**10,000**	Union	20,000	**19,500**
Duplin	22,500	**22,000**	Vance	1,600	**1,500**
Durham	2,200	**2,100**	Wake	3,500	**3,400**
Edgecombe	2,100	**2,000**	Warren	7,500	**7,300**
Forsyth	3,800	**3,700**	Washington	1,400	**1,300**
Franklin	16,000	**15,500**	Watauga	14,500	**14,000**
Gaston	7,600	**7,400**	Wayne	8,600	**8,500**
Gates	800	**800**	Wilkes	39,500	**38,500**
Graham	900	**900**	Wilson	1,200	**1,100**
Granville	7,300	**7,100**	Yadkin	20,000	**19,500**
Greene	1,500	**1,400**	Yancey	3,900	**3,800**
Guilford	14,500	**14,000**	Other Counties	300	**300**
Halifax	10,000	**10,000**			
Harnett	7,100	**7,000**	**State Total**	830,000	**810,000**
Haywood	10,200	**10,000**			
Henderson	5,200	**5,100**			
Hertford	300	**300**			
Hoke	1,300	**1,200**			
Hyde	(D)	**(D)**			
Iredell	49,500	**48,000**			
Jackson	1,700	**1,600**			
Johnston	13,000	**12,500**			
Jones	1,100	**1,100**			
Lee	3,800	**3,800**			
Lenoir	2,300	**2,200**			
Lincoln	14,500	**14,500**			
McDowell	2,500	**2,400**			
Macon	2,800	**2,700**			
Madison	6,000	**5,900**			
Martin	800	**800**			
Mecklenburg	2,100	**2,000**			

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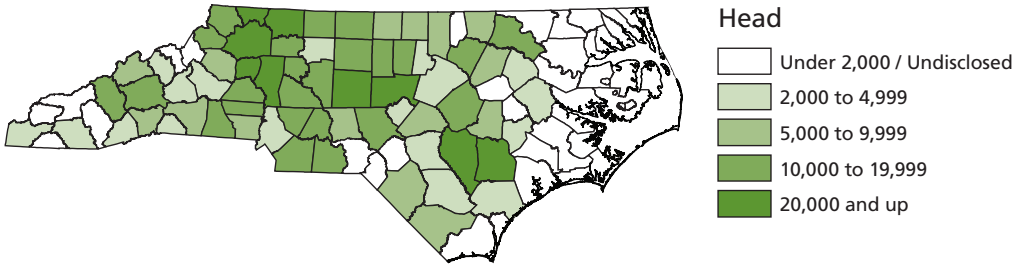
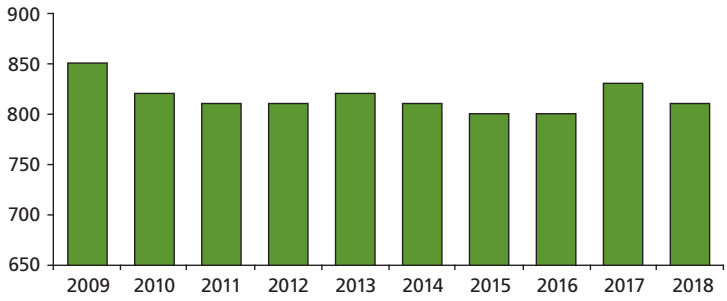
ALL CATTLE
Number on Farms, January 1, 2018

Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Iredell	48,000
Randolph	44,500
Wilkes	38,500
Chatham	37,500
Sampson	27,000
Alexander [2]	23,500
Alleghany [2]	23,500
Surry	22,500
Duplin	22,000
Ashe [3]	19,500
Cleveland [3]	19,500
Union [3]	19,500
Yadkin [3]	19,500

[1] Ranking of published counties only.
[2] Ranked 6th. [3] Ranked 10th.



ALL CATTLE
Number on Farms, January 1 *(Thousand Head)*



BEEF COWS
Number on Farms, January 1

Counties	2017	2018	Counties	2017	2018
	Head			*Head*	
Alamance	7,100	**7,100**	Mitchell	900	**900**
Alexander	7,100	**7,100**	Montgomery	3,000	**3,000**
Alleghany	7,100	**7,100**	Moore	6,100	**6,100**
Anson	4,600	**4,600**	Nash	4,100	**4,100**
Ashe	6,300	**6,300**	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	700	**700**	Northampton	600	**600**
Beaufort	700	**700**	Onslow	1,100	**1,100**
Bertie	500	**500**	Orange	4,900	**4,900**
Bladen	(D)	**(D)**	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	(D)	**(D)**	Pasquotank	(D)	**(D)**
Buncombe	7,100	**7,100**	Pender	(D)	**(D)**
Burke	2,700	**2,700**	Perquimans	500	**500**
Cabarrus	6,800	**6,800**	Person	(D)	**(D)**
Caldwell	3,100	**3,100**	Pitt	(D)	**(D)**
Camden	100	**100**	Polk	(D)	**(D)**
Carteret	200	**200**	Randolph	16,800	**17,000**
Caswell	(D)	**(D)**	Richmond	1,200	**1,200**
Catawba	7,400	**7,400**	Robeson	(D)	**(D)**
Chatham	14,900	**14,900**	Rockingham	(D)	**(D)**
Cherokee	2,600	**2,600**	Rowan	8,200	**8,200**
Chowan	(D)	**(D)**	Rutherford	(D)	**(D)**
Clay	(D)	**(D)**	Sampson	(D)	**(D)**
Cleveland	10,200	**10,200**	Scotland	(D)	**(D)**
Columbus	(D)	**(D)**	Stanly	(D)	**(D)**
Craven	700	**700**	Stokes	5,200	**5,200**
Cumberland	2,000	**2,000**	Surry	(D)	**(D)**
Currituck	*	*	Swain	(D)	**(D)**
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,000	**1,000**
Davidson	5,500	**5,500**	Tyrrell	100	**100**
Davie	5,300	**5,300**	Union	12,200	**12,100**
Duplin	13,800	**13,800**	Vance	800	**800**
Durham	1,000	**1,000**	Wake	(D)	**(D)**
Edgecombe	1,400	**1,400**	Warren	(D)	**(D)**
Forsyth	2,400	**2,400**	Washington	700	**700**
Franklin	6,100	**6,100**	Watauga	4,600	**4,600**
Gaston	3,200	**3,200**	Wayne	(D)	**(D)**
Gates	400	**400**	Wilkes	14,300	**14,300**
Graham	(D)	**(D)**	Wilson	600	**600**
Granville	3,600	**3,600**	Yadkin	8,900	**8,900**
Greene	1,000	**1,000**	Yancey	2,200	**2,200**
Guilford	5,600	**5,600**	Other Counties	93,000	**92,900**
Halifax	(D)	**(D)**			
Harnett	4,100	**4,100**	**State Total**	370,000	**370,000**
Haywood	4,900	**4,900**			
Henderson	1,500	**1,500**			
Hertford	200	**200**			
Hoke	(D)	**(D)**			
Hyde	(D)	**(D)**			
Iredell	13,000	**13,000**			
Jackson	(D)	**(D)**			
Johnston	(D)	**(D)**			
Jones	600	**600**			
Lee	1,600	**1,600**			
Lenoir	1,500	**1,500**			
Lincoln	4,200	**4,200**			
McDowell	(D)	**(D)**			
Macon	1,800	**1,800**			
Madison	3,800	**3,800**			
Martin	600	**600**			
Mecklenburg	(D)	**(D)**			

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BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1, 2018

Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Randolph	17,000
Chatham	14,900
Wilkes	14,300
Duplin	13,800
Iredell	13,000
Union	12,100
Cleveland	10,200
Yadkin	8,900
Rowan	8,200
Catawba	7,400

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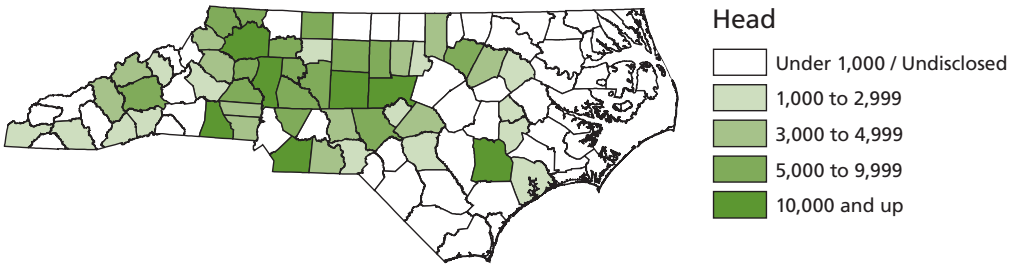
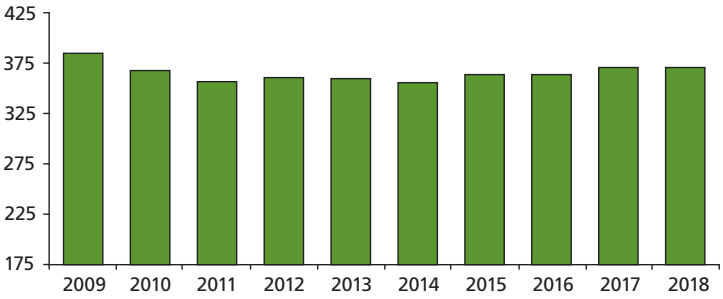


BEEF COWS

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



MILK COWS
Number on Farms, January 1

Counties	2017	2018	Counties	2017	2018
	Head			*Head*	
Alamance	1,200	**1,100**	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	1,500	**1,500**	Montgomery	*	*
Alleghany	1,600	**1,500**	Moore	*	*
Anson	*	*	Nash	*	*
Ashe	100	**100**	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	*	*
Bertie	*	*	Orange	700	**700**
Bladen	*	*	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	800	**800**	Pender	*	*
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	1,200	**1,200**	Person	(D)	**(D)**
Caldwell	*	*	Pitt	*	*
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	4,500	**4,500**
Caswell	(D)	**(D)**	Richmond	*	*
Catawba	400	**400**	Robeson	*	*
Chatham	1,100	**1,200**	Rockingham	(D)	**(D)**
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	1,400	**1,400**
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	(D)	**(D)**
Cleveland	600	**600**	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	*	*	Stanly	(D)	**(D)**
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	**(D)**
Cumberland	*	*	Surry	(D)	**(D)**
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	1,400	**1,400**	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	500	**500**	Union	*	*
Duplin	100	**100**	Vance	*	*
Durham	100	**100**	Wake	*	*
Edgecombe	*	*	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	*	*	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	700	**700**	Wayne	(D)	**(D)**
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	1,200	**1,100**
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	500	**500**	Yadkin	1,300	**1,300**
Greene	*	*	Yancey	100	**100**
Guilford	1,400	**1,500**	Other Counties	4,200	**4,300**
Halifax	(D)	**(D)**			
Harnett	*	*	**State Total**	45,000	**45,000**
Haywood	1,100	**1,100**			
Henderson	1,500	**1,500**			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	*	*			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	13,000	**13,000**			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	*	*			
Jones	*	*			
Lee	*	*			
Lenoir	*	*			
Lincoln	2,800	**2,800**			
McDowell	(D)	**(D)**			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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MILK COWS
Number on Farms, January 1, 2018

Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Iredell	13,000
Randolph	4,500
Lincoln	2,800
Alexander [2]	1,500
Alleghany [2]	1,500
Guilford [2]	1,500
Henderson [2]	1,500
Davidson [3]	1,400
Rowan [3]	1,400
Yadkin	1,300

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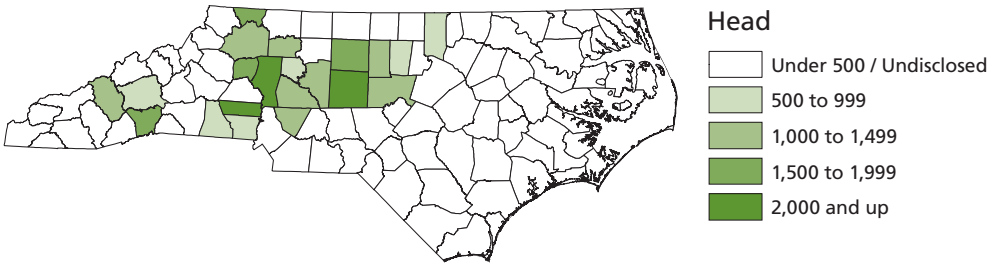
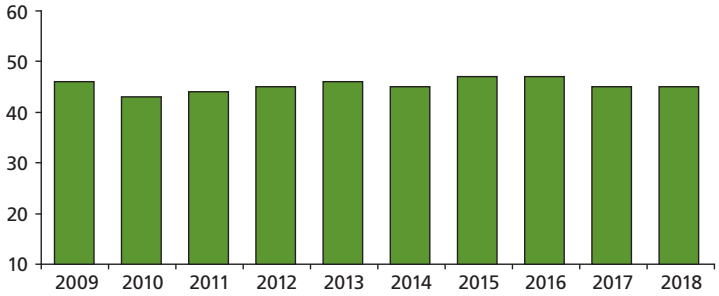


MILK COWS
Number on Farms, January 1 *(Thousand Head)*



TURKEYS
Number Raised

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	Head			*Head*	
Alamance	*	*	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	*	*	Montgomery	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	*	*
Anson	1,150,000	**1,100,000**	Nash	*	*
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	1,950,000	**1,900,000**
Bertie	*	*	Orange	*	*
Bladen	2,050,000	**2,000,000**	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	Pender	495,000	**485,000**
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	**(D)**	Person	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	Pitt	(D)	**(D)**
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	*	*
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	*	*
Catawba	*	*	Robeson	215,000	**210,000**
Chatham	*	*	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	*	*
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	8,450,000	**8,200,000**
Cleveland	395,000	**385,000**	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	(D)	**(D)**	Stanly	590,000	**570,000**
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	640,000	**620,000**	Surry	*	*
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	*	*	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	*	*	Union	3,250,000	**3,150,000**
Duplin	5,200,000	**5,000,000**	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	(D)	**(D)**
Edgecombe	*	*	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	*	*	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	*	*	Wayne	4,100,000	**4,000,000**
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	*	*
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	*	*	Yadkin	*	*
Greene	1,850,000	**1,800,000**	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	*	*	Other Counties	715,000	**700,000**
Halifax	*	*			
Harnett	(D)	**(D)**	**State Total**	33,500,000	**32,500,000**
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	210,000	**205,000**			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	*	*			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	360,000	**350,000**			
Jones	280,000	**275,000**			
Lee	*	*			
Lenoir	1,600,000	**1,550,000**			
Lincoln	*	*			
McDowell	*	*			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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TURKEYS
Number Raised, 2017

Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Sampson	8,200,000
Duplin	5,000,000
Wayne	4,000,000
Union	3,150,000
Bladen	2,000,000
Onslow	1,900,000
Greene	1,800,000
Lenoir	1,550,000
Anson	1,100,000
Cumberland	620,000

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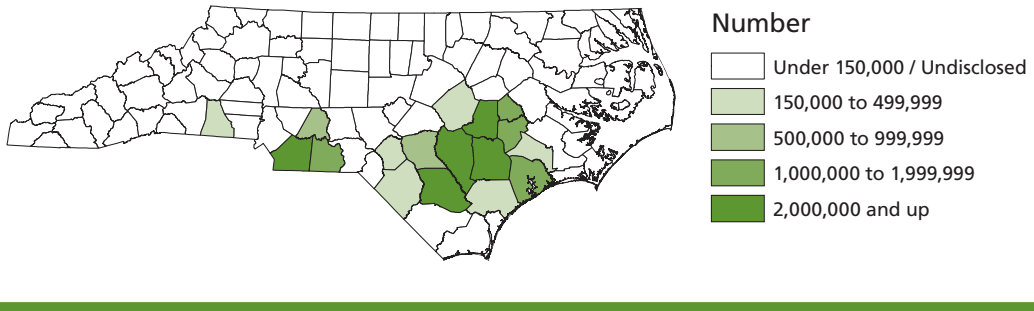
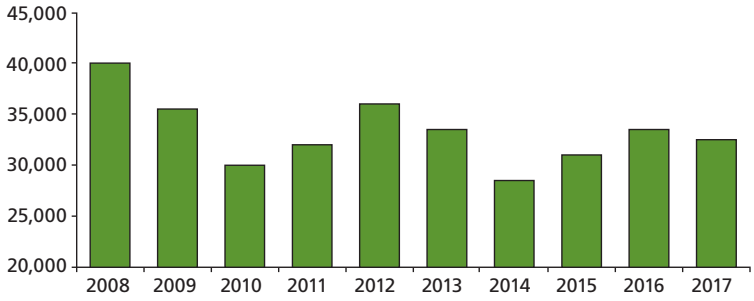


TURKEYS
Number Raised *(Thousand Head)*



BROILERS
Number Produced

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	Head			*Head*	
Alamance	660,000	**690,000**	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	31,800,000	**32,300,000**	Montgomery	24,300,000	**24,600,000**
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	26,600,000	**27,000,000**
Anson	29,200,000	**29,600,000**	Nash	11,100,000	**11,300,000**
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	(D)	**(D)**	Northampton	9,500,000	**9,650,000**
Beaufort	(D)	**(D)**	Onslow	5,300,000	**5,350,000**
Bertie	32,900,000	**33,400,000**	Orange	14,300	**14,500**
Bladen	11,300,000	**11,500,000**	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	6,300	**6,400**	Pender	9,650,000	**9,800,000**
Burke	5,450,000	**5,500,000**	Perquimans	10,900,000	**11,000,000**
Cabarrus	3,150,000	**3,200,000**	Person	(D)	**(D)**
Caldwell	1,300,000	**1,300,000**	Pitt	10,600,000	**10,700,000**
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	36,600,000	**37,100,000**
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	35,800,000	**36,400,000**
Catawba	11,300,000	**11,500,000**	Robeson	49,800,000	**50,600,000**
Chatham	19,900,000	**20,200,000**	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	4,500,000	**4,550,000**
Chowan	2,650,000	**2,700,000**	Rutherford	4,850,000	**4,900,000**
Clay	*	*	Sampson	40,900,000	**41,500,000**
Cleveland	22,600,000	**23,000,000**	Scotland	12,700,000	**12,900,000**
Columbus	3,050,000	**3,100,000**	Stanly	9,000,000	**9,100,000**
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	2,150,000	**2,200,000**	Surry	27,700,000	**28,100,000**
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	2,400	**2,500**
Davidson	6,100,000	**6,200,000**	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	*	*	Union	64,400,000	**65,300,000**
Duplin	68,800,000	**69,800,000**	Vance	*	*
Durham	(D)	**(D)**	Wake	6,000	**6,100**
Edgecombe	6,850,000	**6,950,000**	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	1,750,000	**1,750,000**	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	2,250,000	**2,250,000**	Wayne	14,800,000	**15,000,000**
Gates	8,100,000	**8,200,000**	Wilkes	54,000,000	**54,800,000**
Graham	*	*	Wilson	(D)	**(D)**
Granville	(D)	**(D)**	Yadkin	6,600,000	**6,700,000**
Greene	3,250,000	**3,300,000**	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	(D)	**(D)**	Other Counties	1,456,500	**1,526,000**
Halifax	(D)	**(D)**			
Harnett	25,200,000	**25,600,000**	**State Total**	818,700,000	**830,800,000**
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	1,400	**1,400**			
Hertford	10,800,000	**10,900,000**			
Hoke	5,400,000	**5,500,000**			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	1,900,000	**1,950,000**			
Jackson	3,100	**3,100**			
Johnston	9,300,000	**9,450,000**			
Jones	2,950,000	**3,000,000**			
Lee	4,000,000	**4,050,000**			
Lenoir	2,050,000	**2,100,000**			
Lincoln	7,850,000	**8,000,000**			
McDowell	1,000,000	**1,000,000**			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	(D)	**(D)**			
Martin	2,650,000	**2,700,000**			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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BROILERS
Number Produced, 2017

Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Duplin	69,800,000
Union	65,300,000
Wilkes	54,800,000
Robeson	50,600,000
Sampson	41,500,000
Randolph	37,100,000
Richmond	36,400,000
Bertie	33,400,000
Alexander	32,300,000
Anson	29,600,000

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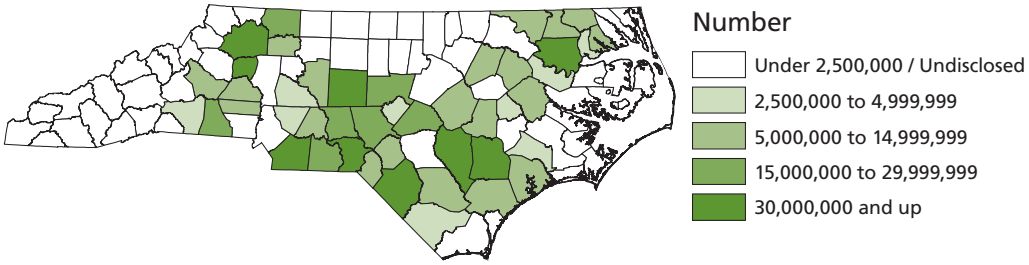
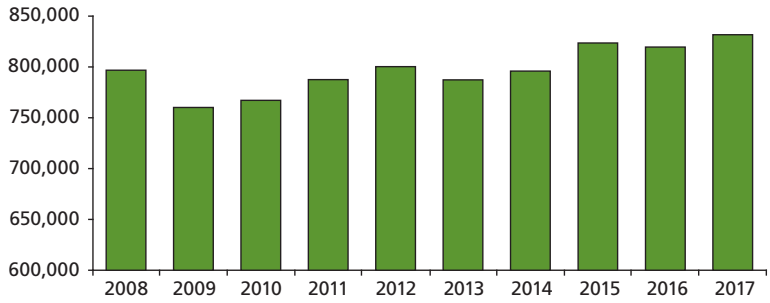


BROILERS
Number Produced *(Thousand Head)*



LAYERS
Number on Farms, December 1

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	Head			*Head*	
Alamance	165,000	**165,000**	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	920,000	**920,000**	Montgomery	(D)	**(D)**
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	32,000	**32,000**
Anson	315,000	**315,000**	Nash	355,000	**355,000**
Ashe	2,900	**2,900**	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	*	*
Bertie	*	*	Orange	165,000	**165,000**
Bladen	(D)	**(D)**	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	1,500	**1,500**	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	9,300	**9,300**	Pender	155,000	**155,000**
Burke	160,000	**160,000**	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	**(D)**	Person	*	*
Caldwell	(D)	**(D)**	Pitt	*	*
Camden	*	*	Polk	1,300	**1,300**
Carteret	1,400	**1,400**	Randolph	540,000	**540,000**
Caswell	280,000	**285,000**	Richmond	115,000	**115,000**
Catawba	80,000	**80,000**	Robeson	2,000	**2,000**
Chatham	310,000	**310,000**	Rockingham	(D)	**(D)**
Cherokee	(D)	**(D)**	Rowan	60,000	**60,000**
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	2,300	**2,300**
Clay	*	*	Sampson	300,000	**300,000**
Cleveland	(D)	**(D)**	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	2,500	**2,500**	Stanly	(D)	**(D)**
Craven	*	*	Stokes	300,000	**305,000**
Cumberland	*	*	Surry	675,000	**675,000**
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,900	**1,900**
Davidson	110,000	**110,000**	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	110,000	**110,000**	Union	1,400,000	**1,400,000**
Duplin	460,000	**460,000**	Vance	*	*
Durham	2,500	**2,500**	Wake	3,400	**3,400**
Edgecombe	(D)	**(D)**	Warren	(D)	**(D)**
Forsyth	2,800	**2,800**	Washington	*	*
Franklin	(D)	**(D)**	Watauga	1,700	**1,700**
Gaston	19,500	**19,500**	Wayne	96,000	**96,000**
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	410,000	**415,000**
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	1,400	**1,400**	Yadkin	1,150,000	**1,150,000**
Greene	*	*	Yancey	1,200	**1,200**
Guilford	355,000	**355,000**	Other Counties	4,671,400	**4,675,400**
Halifax	(D)	**(D)**			
Harnett	1,600	**1,600**	**State Total**	15,143,000	**15,162,000**
Haywood	1,600	**1,600**			
Henderson	1,900	**1,900**			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	*	*			
Hyde	(D)	**(D)**			
Iredell	1,150,000	**1,150,000**			
Jackson	1,300	**1,300**			
Johnston	30,000	**30,000**			
Jones	*	*			
Lee	(D)	**(D)**			
Lenoir	120,000	**120,000**			
Lincoln	3,400	**3,400**			
McDowell	81,000	**81,000**			
Macon	1,200	**1,200**			
Madison	4,000	**4,000**			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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LAYERS

Number on Farms, December 1, 2017

Leading Counties [1]	*Number*
Union	1,400,000
Iredell [2]	1,150,000
Yadkin [2]	1,150,000
Alexander	920,000
Surry	675,000
Randolph	540,000
Duplin	460,000
Wilkes	415,000
Guilford [3]	355,000
Nash [3]	355,000

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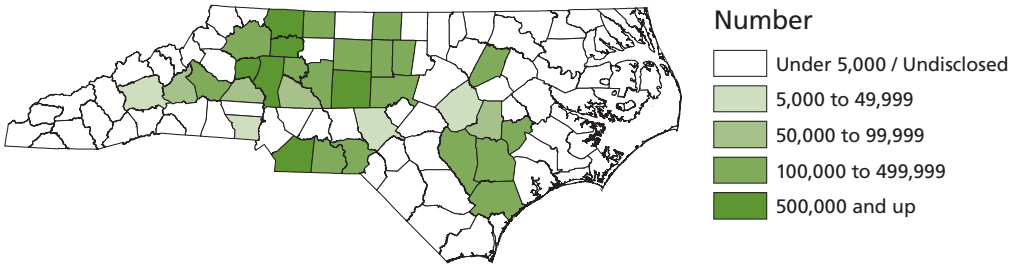
[2] Ranked 2nd. [3] Ranked 9th.



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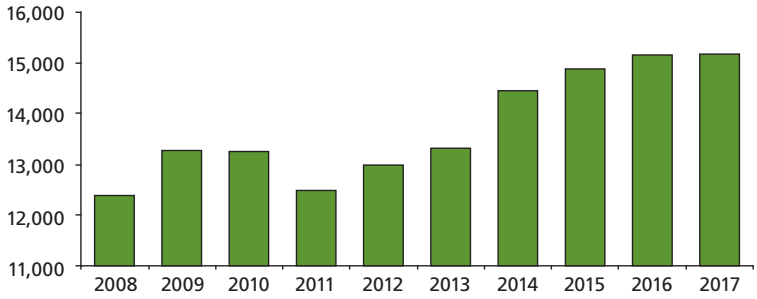

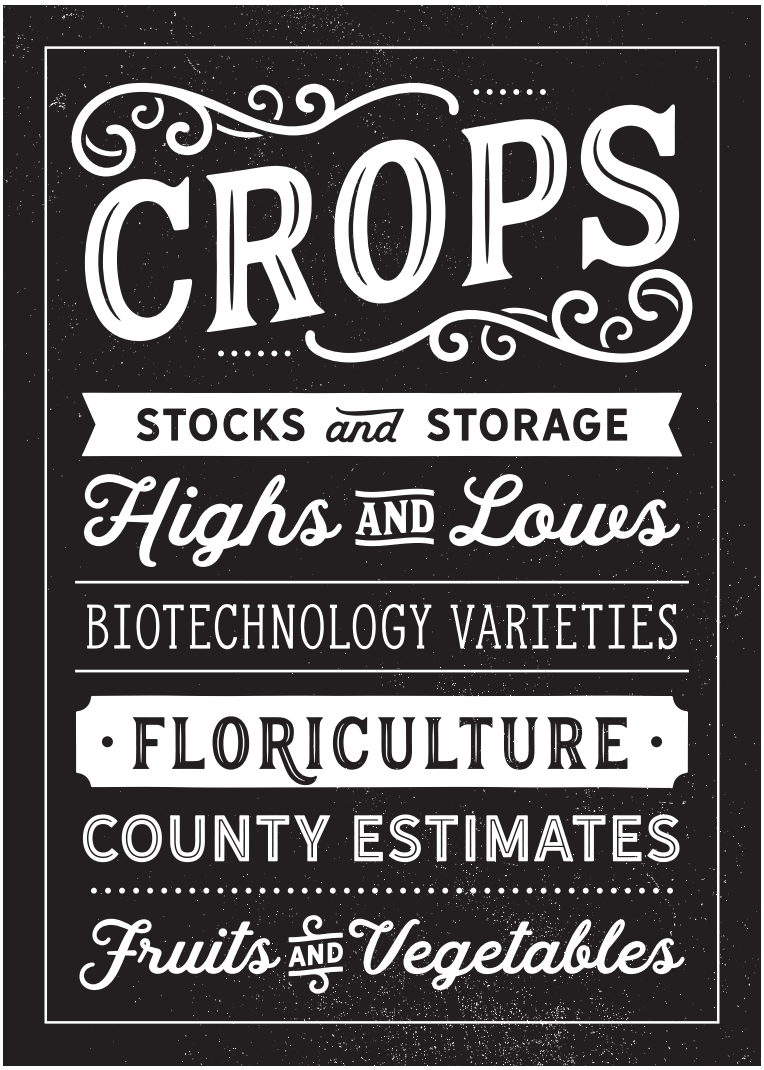
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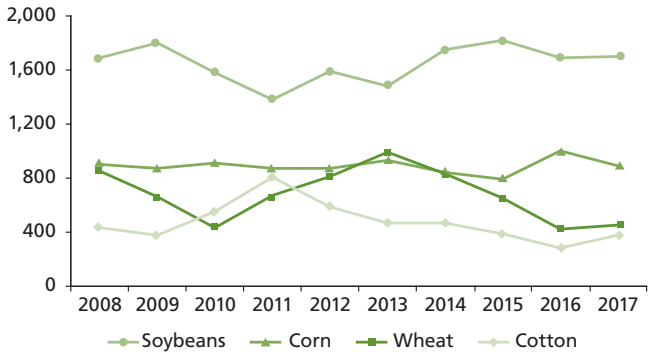
Fruits AND Vegetables

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 1	May 25	Jun 10-Jun 30	Jul 25
Corn:	Grain	Apr 1	Apr 10-Apr 25	May 20	Aug 20	Sep 10-Oct 10	Oct 10
	Silage	Apr 1	Apr 10-Apr 25	May 20	Aug 1	Aug 20-Sep 20	Oct 20
Cotton		Apr 20	May 1-May 20	Jun 10	Sep 30	Oct 10-Nov 15	Dec 15
Hay:	Alfalfa				Apr 30	-	Nov 15
	Other				Apr 30	-	Nov 15
Potatoes		Mar 5	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 1	Sep 25	Oct 10-Oct 30	Nov 15
Sorghum:	Grain	May 5	May 25-Jun 15	Jul 15	Aug 15	Oct 1-Oct 20	Nov 25
	Silage	May 1	May 10-Jun 10	Jul 5	Jul 25	Aug 10-Sep 15	Oct 1
Soybeans		May 1	May 20-Jun 30	Jul 20	Oct 10	Nov 10-Dec 5	Dec 20
Sweet Potatoes		May 5	May 20-Jun 15	Jul 15	Sep 1	Sep 25-Nov 5	Nov 20
Tobacco:	Burley	May 15	May 20-Jun 10	Jun 30	Aug 20	Sep 1-Sep 20	Oct 15
	Flue-cured	Apr 15	Apr 20-May 25	Jun 5	Jul 1	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 1	Feb 5-Mar 1	Mar 20	Apr 20	May 10-Jun 15	Jun 30
	Summer	Mar 20	Mar 25-Apr 5	Apr 15	Jun 10	Jul 15-Oct 15	Oct 30
	Fall	Jul 15	Jul 20-Aug 5	Aug 10	Oct 10	Oct 15-Dec 30	Jan 30
Cucumbers:	Fresh Market Spring	Mar 25	Apr 1-May 1	May 5	Jun 1	Jun 1-Jun 30	Jul 5
	Fresh Market Summer	Apr 25	May 1-May 15	May 20	Jun 1	Jun 1-Jul 30	Oct 20
Cucumbers:	Processing Spring	Mar 25	Apr 1-May 15	May 20	Jun 1	Jun 10-Jul 30	Jul 25
	Processing Summer	Jul 10	Jul 15-Sep 1	Sep 5	Jul 1	Oct 1-Oct 15	Oct 30
Peppers:	Bell	Apr 1	Apr 10-May 1	May 15	Oct 10	Jul 1-Jul 30	Sep 1
Snap Beans:	Fresh Market Spring	Mar 10	Mar 15-Apr 5	Apr 15	May 15	Jun 1-Jun 30	Jul 20
	Fresh Market Summer	Apr 15	Apr 20-May 15	May 20	Jul 1	Jul 15-Sep 15	Oct 1
	Fresh Market Fall	Aug 5	Aug 10-Aug 20	Aug 25	Sep 25	Oct 1-Oct 30	Nov 10
Squash		Apr 1	Apr 15-May 5	May 30	Jun 1	Jun 15-Jul 30	Sep 1
Strawberries		Sep 20	Sep 25-Oct 15	Nov 1	Apr 10	Apr 20-May 20	Jun 10
Sweet Corn		Mar 5	Mar 10-Jun 1	Jun 5	Jun 1	Jun 15-Jul 30	Sep 10
Tomatoes		Apr 15	Apr 20-Jun 1	Jun 5	Jun 15	Jul 15-Sep 15	Oct 15
Watermelons		Mar 25	Mar 30-May 5	May 10	Jul 1	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
				Thousands				*Thousands*
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu	1924	1981	75	2011	81.0	1981	4,125
Corn for Grain	Bu	1866	1899	2,726	2013	142.0	1982	155,430
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1983	152	2014	19.0	1984	2,240
Cotton: Upland [1]	Lb	1866	1926	1,802	2014	1,038.0	2001	1,673
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	2001	559
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1945	1,374	2003	2.6	2013	2,064
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1957	88	2009	3.6	1957	185
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1945	1,274	2003	2.6	2013	2,040
Potatoes	Cwt	1866	1889	542	2011	80.0	1956	19,680
Oats	Bu	1909	1945	320	2014	4,300.0	1981	555,560
Peanuts	Lb	1866	1943	110	2013	240.0	1946	7,774
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	2014	40.0	2014	69,200
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt	1868	1932	101	2014	220.0	**2017**	**19,690**
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	Bu	1866	2013	925	2011	68.0	2013	52,725
FRUITS AND NUTS:								
Apples: Commercial	Lb	1934	-	-	-	-	1983	415,000
Blueberries	Lb	1972	2015	8.0	2014	7,070	2015	49,900
Grapes	Ton	1909	-	-	-	-	1912	8.6
Peaches	Ton	1899	-	-	-	-	1941	76.0
Strawberries	Cwt	1949	1950	2.9	2014	154	2000	231

[1] Production in 480-lb net weight bales. 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.

CROP RECORD LOWS

Crops	Unit	Date Series Began	Record Low					
			Acres Harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
			Year	Acres	Year	Yield	Year	Production
				Thousands				*Thousands*
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	0.6	1911	398
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1921	3	1921	1.4	1921	4
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1973	312	1925	0.6	1925	313
Potatoes	Cwt	1866	2016	9	1871	8.0	**2017**	**660**
Oats	Bu	1909	2009	66	1909	675.0	1911	119,350
Peanuts	Lb	1866	1867	10	1911	29.0	1866	444
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	**2017**	**0.9**	1922	500.0	1919	1,412
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb	1919	2005	123.0	1924	585.0	1921	246,540
Wheat	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]
Strawberries	Cwt	1949	2014	1.1	1972	9	1955	13

[1] Production in 480-lb net weight bales. [2] Productions 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	2016					
		Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		Thousands		*Units*	*Thousands*	*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*
FIELD CROPS							
Corn for Grain [1]	Bu.	1,000	940	129	121,260	4.07	493,528
Corn for Silage [2]	Ton	-	40	16	620	-	-
Cotton, Upland [3]	Lb.	280	255	646	343	0.658	108,333
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	99	184.00	18,216
Hay: All	Ton	-	687	2.31	1,587	116.00	184,805
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	7	3.30	23	215.00	4,945
Hay: Other	Ton	-	680	2.30	1,564	115.00	179,860
Oats	Bu.	35	9	60	540	2.20	1,188
Peanuts	Lb.	101	99	3,530	349,470	0.213	74,437
Potatoes	Cwt.	14.0	13.6	220	2,992	10.90	32,613
Sorghum for Grain	Bu.	45.0	37	55	2,035	6.50	7,407
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	-	4	10	40	-	-
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,690	1,660	35	58,100	9.80	569,380
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	98	95	180	17,100	18.10	309,510
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	166.0	1,999	331,800	1.940	643,602
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	1.0	1,800	1,800	1.890	3,402
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	165.0	2,000	330,000	1.940	640,200
Wheat	Bu.	420	355	41	14,555	4.61	67,099
FRUIT		*Actual Acres*			*Utilized*		
Apples	Lb.	-	5,100	20,400	103,000	0.237	24,461
Blueberries	Lb.	-	7,200	6,390	46,000	1.45	66,924
Grapes	Ton	-	2,300	2.13	4.9	895.00	4,386
Peaches	Ton	-	1,200	3.00	3.6	1,290.00	4,644
VEGETABLES							
Fresh Market:		*Actual Acres*					
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,400	2,300	250	575	33.00	18,975
Cabbage	Cwt.	3,000	2,900	245	711	18.40	13,073
Cantaloupe	Cwt.	1,200	1,100	188	207	32.00	6,618
Cucumbers	Cwt.	11,000	10,800	140	1,512	19.10	28,913
Pumpkins	Cwt.	3,800	3,600	260	936	24.70	23,164
Snap Beans	Cwt.	5,900	5,000	39	195	32.50	6,335
Squash	Cwt.	3,200	3,100	66	205	30.00	6,138
Strawberries	Cwt.	1,300	1,200	120	144	187.00	26,928
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3,200	3,100	310	961	54.20	52,086
Watermelons	Cwt.	6,600	6,300	230	1,449	14.20	20,576

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

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2017					
		Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		Thousands		*Units*	*Thousands*	*Dollars*	*Thousand Dollars*
FIELD CROPS							
Corn for Grain [1]	Bu.	890	840	142	119,280	4.20	500,976
Corn for Silage [2]	Ton	-	40	18	720	-	-
Cotton, Upland [3]	Lb.	375	367	969	741	0.678	239,198
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	217	119.00	25,823
Hay: All	Ton	-	653	2.30	1,503	115.00	172,102
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	3	2.70	8	209.00	1,672
Hay: Other	Ton	-	650	2.30	1,495	114.00	170,430
Oats	Bu.	35	10	66	660	2.60	1,716
Peanuts	Lb.	119	117	4,100	479,700	0.236	113,209
Potatoes	Cwt.	16.0	15.1	230	3,473	11.40	39,592
Sorghum for Grain	Bu.	20	15	50	750	6.30	2,646
Sorghum for Silage	Ton	-	4	10	40	-	-
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,700	1,690	40	67,600	9.45	638,820
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	90	89.5	220	19,690	15.30	346,544
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	163.9	2,197	360,040	2.000	723,594
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	0.9	1,600	1,440	1.940	2,808
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	163.0	2,200	358,600	2.000	720,786
Wheat	Bu.	450	375	55	20,625	4.65	95,906
FRUIT		*Actual Acres*					
Apples: Commercial	Lb.	-	5,000	20,000	98,000	0.247	24,247
Blueberries	Lb.	-	6,300	4,020	25,330	2.12	53,797
Grapes	Ton	-	2,300	3.13	7.20	734.00	5,287
Peaches	Ton	-	1,200	2.17	2.60	1,540.00	4,004
VEGETABLES		*Actual Acres*					
Fresh Market:							
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,400	2,300	270	621	45.00	27,914
Cabbage	Cwt.	2,600	2,500	280	700	15.10	10,570
Cantaloupe	Cwt.	1,200	1,100	205	225.5	26.00	5,863
Cucumbers	Cwt.	10,500	10,500	160	1,680	17.20	28,699
Pumpkins	Cwt.	3,500	3,400	210	714	18.60	13,143
Snap Beans	Cwt.	5,800	5,600	37	207	36.40	7,506
Squash	Cwt.	2,400	2,300	97	223	45.40	10,112
Strawberries	Cwt.	1,200	1,100	135	149	166.00	23,440
Tomatoes	Cwt.	3,000	2,900	330	957	46.20	41,794
Watermelons	Cwt.	6,700	6,500	300	1,950	10.80	20,787

(N/A) Not available. [1] Planted for all purposes. [2] Green-weight. [3] 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
	Thousand Bushels											
CORN												
2013	9,200	2,600	900	36,000	19,545	10,775	4,086	30,930	28,745	13,375	4,986	66,930
2014	14,500	4,700	1,400	29,000	21,341	12,443	4,155	26,488	35,841	17,143	5,555	55,488
2015	13,000	6,500	1,800	26,000	21,118	13,777	9,168	28,430	34,118	20,277	10,968	54,430
2016	11,000	4,400	1,700	34,000	25,846	18,211	7,912	48,089	36,846	22,611	9,612	82,089
2017	**13,000**	**5,400**	**2,200**	**35,000**	**34,536**	**22,369**	**8,070**	**47,069**	**47,536**	**27,769**	**10,270**	**82,069**
SOYBEANS												
2013	*	*	*	*	11,900	4,615	2,225	16,384	*	*	*	*
2014	*	*	*	*	7,941	3,425	*	17,630	*	*	*	*
2015	*	*	*	*	12,259	7,225	2,080	12,791	*	*	*	*
2016	*	*	*	*	13,863	7,328	2,332	20,465	*	*	*	*
2017	*	*	*	*	**13,622**	**7,037**	*	**16,981**	*	*	*	*
WHEAT												
2013	700	90	3,500	1,950	8,291	3,983	18,359	14,347	8,991	4,073	21,859	16,297
2014	500	65	5,700	3,250	9,873	5,520	21,600	16,854	10,373	5,585	27,300	20,104
2015	2,000	550	2,200	1,300	13,638	5,174	19,917	16,844	15,638	5,724	22,117	18,144
2016	600	180	1,900	1,150	10,013	4,113	8,980	8,376	10,613	4,293	10,880	9,526
2017	**500**	**100**	**2,800**	**1,450**	**5,024**	**3,045**	**13,565**	**9,881**	**5,524**	**3,145**	**16,365**	**11,331**

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

HAY STOCKS ON FARMS

Year	May 1	Dec 1
	Thousand Tons	
2013	240	1,380
2014	220	1,300
2015	260	1,120
2016	260	1,200
2017	**218**	**880**

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
	Number	*Thousand Bushels*	
2013	165	88,000	100,000
2014	165	94,000	105,000
2015	168	94,000	105,000
2016	174	99,000	105,000
2017	**175**	**103,000**	**105,000**

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
2014	3	5	89	97	5	12	79	96
2015	1	7	89	97	5	10	79	94
2016	2	1	93	96	4	9	80	93
2017	3	4	89	96	5	11	80	96
2018	**1**	**3**	**89**	**93**	**3**	**9**	**82**	**94**

CORN FOR GRAIN
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Acres*		*Bushels*	
Alamance	3,700	3,200	145	465,000	**3,300**	**2,390**	**123**	**295,000**
Alexander	2,000	850	122	103,500	**2,200**	**660**	**132**	**87,100**
Alleghany	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**9,800**	**8,440**	**119**	**1,004,000**
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	52,000	51,000	134	6,807,000	**42,600**	**42,500**	**165**	**7,011,000**
Bertie	11,000	10,800	130	1,408,000	**10,000**	**9,910**	**138**	**1,363,000**
Bladen	25,000	24,500	113	2,760,000	**21,600**	**21,000**	**138**	**2,900,000**
Brunswick	8,500	8,300	113	939,000	**7,700**	**7,490**	**140**	**1,050,000**
Buncombe	500	150	88	13,200	**700**	**130**	**159**	**20,700**
Burke	1,600	1,400	92	128,800	**1,400**	**1,250**	**112**	**140,000**
Cabarrus	5,000	4,500	126	567,000	**4,700**	**4,190**	**141**	**592,000**
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Camden	17,000	16,700	188	3,140,000	**19,500**	**19,300**	**183**	**3,538,000**
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Caswell	1,300	1,000	125	125,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Catawba	3,400	2,700	127	343,000	**3,700**	**3,150**	**157**	**495,000**
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,900**	**1,980**	**131**	**259,000**
Cherokee	1,300	900	152	136,800	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Chowan	4,900	4,800	129	620,000	**4,800**	**4,700**	**144**	**678,000**
Clay	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	4,700	3,500	102	358,000	**4,500**	**3,390**	**138**	**469,000**
Columbus	37,000	36,500	123	4,490,000	**36,000**	**35,000**	**134**	**4,686,000**
Craven	22,000	21,700	128	2,787,000	**19,000**	**18,800**	**146**	**2,735,000**
Cumberland	10,000	9,700	122	1,181,000	**9,300**	**9,180**	**138**	**1,270,000**
Currituck	12,000	11,900	149	1,773,000	**10,400**	**10,300**	**162**	**1,664,000**
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Davidson	7,200	5,500	92	505,000	**6,500**	**5,270**	**122**	**643,000**
Davie	7,300	7,000	111	779,000	**5,400**	**4,950**	**143**	**707,000**
Duplin	48,000	46,500	132	6,140,000	**43,000**	**41,800**	**127**	**5,299,000**
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	20,500	20,200	132	2,657,000	**14,800**	**14,400**	**122**	**1,757,000**
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Franklin	1,200	900	133	119,600	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Gaston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Gates	5,500	5,400	148	799,000	**4,800**	**4,800**	**142**	**680,000**
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	2,300	2,000	96	191,500	**2,000**	**1,310**	**103**	**135,000**
Greene	14,500	14,000	131	1,834,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Guilford	4,500	3,800	129	489,000	**4,600**	**2,740**	**130**	**355,000**
Halifax	10,500	9,500	110	1,045,000	**7,300**	**7,130**	**112**	**795,000**
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**4,900**	**4,810**	**131**	**629,000**
Haywood	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Henderson	2,500	1,900	174	330,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**9,100**	**8,900**	**147**	**1,304,000**
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hyde	36,000	34,500	141	4,870,000	**34,300**	**33,700**	**168**	**5,663,000**
Iredell	19,000	11,000	111	1,225,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**8,600**	**8,500**	**133**	**1,126,000**
Jones	20,000	19,500	117	2,285,000	**15,200**	**15,100**	**152**	**2,301,000**
Lee	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lenoir	27,000	26,500	123	3,248,000	**23,900**	**23,500**	**132**	**3,112,000**
Lincoln	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**3,800**	**1,210**	**124**	**149,500**
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	8,500	8,300	113	938,000	**5,900**	**5,850**	**127**	**740,000**
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**

CORN FOR GRAIN
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted for All Purposes	Harvested for Grain	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Acres*		*Bushels*	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Moore	1,700	1,600	85	135,600	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Nash	3,900	3,820	132	505,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
New Hanover	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Northampton	12,000	11,800	142	1,680,000	**10,400**	**10,300**	**132**	**1,360,000**
Onslow	14,000	13,500	106	1,425,000	**10,900**	**10,800**	**139**	**1,501,000**
Orange	2,500	2,200	167	368,000	**2,600**	**2,150**	**144**	**310,000**
Pamlico	14,500	13,500	146	1,975,000	**15,900**	**15,500**	**168**	**2,600,000**
Pasquotank	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**16,700**	**16,600**	**177**	**2,939,000**
Pender	17,000	16,400	124	2,036,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Perquimans	15,000	14,800	161	2,380,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Person	2,500	2,200	169	371,000	**2,500**	**2,000**	**123**	**246,000**
Pitt	28,000	27,500	128	3,520,000	**24,300**	**24,200**	**132**	**3,189,000**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	7,800	6,400	106	680,000	**6,200**	**3,880**	**120**	**464,000**
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Robeson	70,000	68,500	131	8,940,000	**60,800**	**60,100**	**132**	**7,960,000**
Rockingham	2,800	1,800	110	198,000	**2,000**	**1,130**	**126**	**142,500**
Rowan	9,000	8,400	106	893,000	**9,300**	**8,250**	**145**	**1,194,000**
Rutherford	600	450	87	39,200	*	*	*	*
Sampson	36,000	35,200	143	5,039,000	**32,300**	**31,000**	**133**	**4,118,000**
Scotland	9,000	8,800	123	1,086,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Stanly	12,500	11,700	131	1,527,000	**11,400**	**10,900**	**136**	**1,484,000**
Stokes	1,800	1,500	104	155,200	**1,300**	**1,110**	**119**	**132,000**
Surry	12,500	11,600	145	1,686,000	**11,100**	**10,100**	**142**	**1,432,000**
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**1,500**	**1,150**	**176**	**202,000**
Tyrrell	26,000	25,500	141	3,582,000	**23,100**	**23,000**	**167**	**3,830,000**
Union	32,500	32,000	109	3,476,000	**32,500**	**31,900**	**129**	**4,101,000**
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	700	600	90	54,000	**500**	**300**	**83**	**24,900**
Warren	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Washington	30,500	29,200	151	4,400,000	**31,500**	**31,300**	**168**	**5,260,000**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	29,000	28,500	108	3,089,000	**23,600**	**23,400**	**128**	**3,003,000**
Wilkes	7,500	4,900	132	647,000	**7,400**	**5,470**	**145**	**793,000**
Wilson	14,000	13,600	138	1,878,000	**10,400**	**10,200**	**129**	**1,320,000**
Yadkin	13,000	9,550	146	1,394,000	**12,900**	**11,600**	**122**	**1,410,000**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	116,300	103,880	120	12,500,600	**120,700**	**105,930**	**138**	**14,612,300**
State Total	1,000,000	940,000	129	121,260,000	**890,000**	**840,000**	**142**	**119,280,000**

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CORN FOR GRAIN
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Bushels*
Robeson	7,960,000
Beaufort	7,011,000
Hyde	5,663,000
Duplin	5,299,000
Washington	5,260,000
Columbus	4,686,000
Sampson	4,118,000
Union	4,101,000
Tyrrell	3,830,000
Camden	3,538,000

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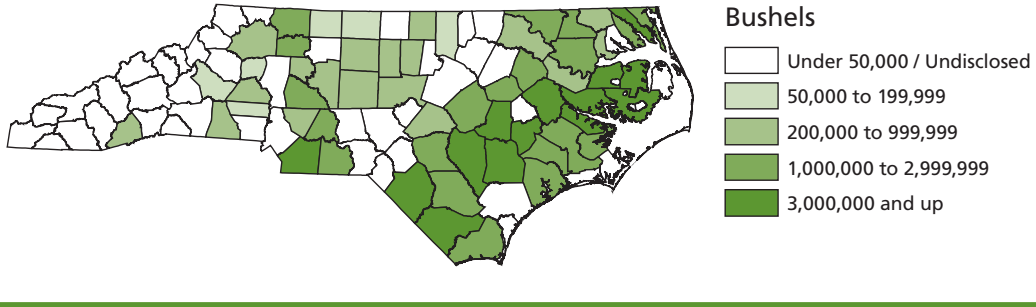
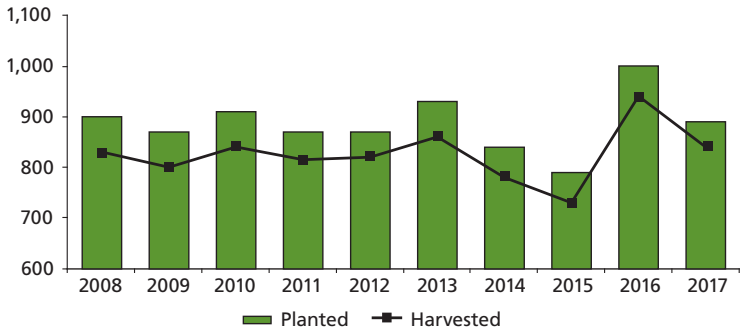


CORN FOR GRAIN
Planted and Harvested *(Thousand Acres)*



COTTON
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Pounds*	*480-Pound Bales*	*Acres*		*Pounds*	*480-Pound Bales*
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	8,800	8,680	664	12,000	**10,000**	**9,500**	**1,041**	**20,600**
Bertie	15,400	14,000	597	17,400	**19,300**	**19,200**	**1,025**	**41,000**
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	6,500	5,270	583	6,400	**8,900**	**8,830**	**1,120**	**20,600**
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**5,800**	**5,030**	**805**	**8,440**
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**5,400**	**5,040**	**1,038**	**10,900**
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	6,500	5,970	579	7,200	**16,500**	**16,100**	**972**	**32,600**
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	10,100	9,070	741	14,000	**9,900**	**8,210**	**1,029**	**17,600**
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**6,500**	**6,450**	**900**	**12,100**
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	42,400	36,300	639	48,300	**44,900**	**44,600**	**884**	**82,100**
Harnett	6,200	5,600	540	6,300	**5,900**	**5,890**	**659**	**8,090**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	9,500	8,400	606	10,600	**11,500**	**10,900**	**1,154**	**26,200**
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hyde	6,800	5,990	611	7,620	**8,600**	**8,600**	**1,239**	**22,200**
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	3,500	3,290	729	5,000	**5,000**	**4,970**	**860**	**8,900**
Jones	6,400	6,310	616	8,100	**13,000**	**12,900**	**904**	**24,300**
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	2,400	2,330	721	3,500	**7,800**	**7,800**	**862**	**14,000**
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	22,600	16,700	546	19,000	**28,200**	**27,700**	**991**	**57,200**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

COTTON
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Pounds*	*480-Pound Bales*	*Acres*		*Pounds*	*480-Pound Bales*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	32,000	31,700	625	41,300	**39,000**	**38,800**	**1,065**	**86,100**
Onslow	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Perquimans	6,600	6,370	708	9,400	**8,800**	**8,290**	**1,146**	**19,800**
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	4,900	3,130	537	3,500	**10,000**	**9,970**	**876**	**18,200**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Robeson	7,800	7,790	592	9,600	**13,000**	**12,700**	**986**	**26,100**
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	10,800	10,700	552	12,300	**13,600**	**13,600**	**833**	**23,600**
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Stanly	9,300	9,280	1,138	22,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Union	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Washington	6,700	5,740	744	8,900	**8,700**	**8,650**	**1,188**	**21,400**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	2,200	1,830	630	2,400	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	3,000	2,990	674	4,200	**7,300**	**7,110**	**965**	**14,300**
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	49,600	47,560	646	63,980	**67,400**	**66,160**	**904**	**124,670**
State Total	280,000	255,000	646	343,000	**375,000**	**367,000**	**969**	**741,000**

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COTTON
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*480-Pound Bales*
Northampton	86,100
Halifax	82,100
Martin	57,200
Bertie	41,000
Edgecombe	32,600
Hertford	26,200
Robeson	26,100
Jones	24,300
Sampson	23,600
Hyde	22,200

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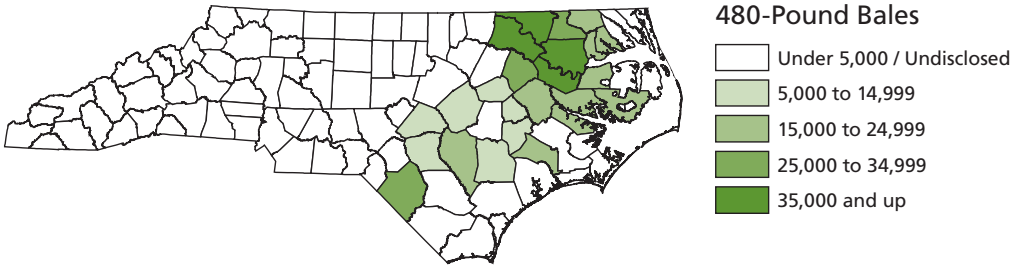
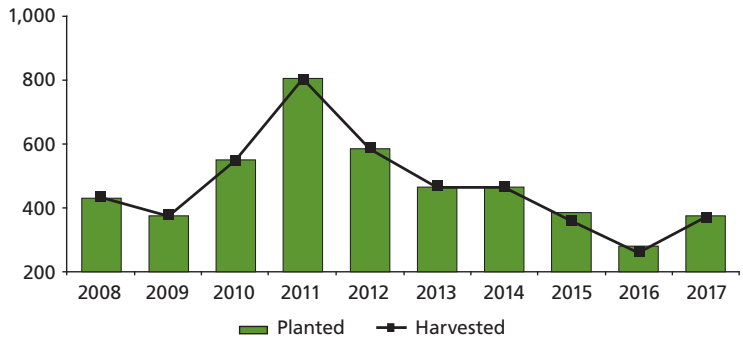


COTTON
Planted and Harvested *(Thousand Acres)*



OTHER HAY
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	*Tons*		*Acres*	*Tons*	
Alamance	14,700	2.5	35,700	**15,600**	**2.0**	**30,100**
Alexander	8,500	2.3	19,600	**8,800**	**2.4**	**20,800**
Alleghany	13,000	2.1	26,900	**12,700**	**2.4**	**29,900**
Anson	5,900	2.3	13,500	**5,300**	**2.3**	**12,200**
Ashe	11,000	2.3	25,000	**9,400**	**2.0**	**18,800**
Avery	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Beaufort	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bertie	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Bladen	5,100	2.3	11,800	**4,100**	**3.0**	**12,200**
Brunswick	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Buncombe	11,000	1.9	20,700	**9,400**	**2.7**	**25,000**
Burke	6,600	1.9	12,100	**5,900**	**2.1**	**12,000**
Cabarrus	13,700	2.2	29,800	**13,500**	**2.0**	**26,500**
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	11,500	2.0	23,000	**9,600**	**1.9**	**18,100**
Catawba	13,000	1.9	24,500	**13,000**	**1.9**	**24,300**
Chatham	16,600	2.4	39,500	**15,400**	**2.2**	**33,400**
Cherokee	4,600	2.4	10,700	**4,850**	**2.9**	**14,000**
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	2,600	2.3	6,000	**2,600**	**2.2**	**5,600**
Cleveland	13,200	2.0	25,900	**13,300**	**2.1**	**27,900**
Columbus	4,500	2.8	12,600	**3,900**	**2.6**	**10,100**
Craven	1,520	2.9	4,430	**1,500**	**3.1**	**4,610**
Cumberland	5,000	2.5	12,500	**4,600**	**2.5**	**11,500**
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	16,500	1.8	29,300	**15,600**	**2.2**	**34,200**
Davie	11,100	2.2	23,600	**9,300**	**2.1**	**19,100**
Duplin	24,000	3.5	82,300	**23,500**	**3.4**	**80,000**
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,500**	**1.8**	**4,400**
Edgecombe	(D)	(D)	(D)	**1,850**	**3.4**	**6,300**
Forsyth	8,100	2.1	17,000	**7,800**	**1.9**	**14,900**
Franklin	13,400	2.7	35,200	**13,400**	**1.8**	**23,300**
Gaston	6,900	1.7	11,500	**7,900**	**2.0**	**15,400**
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	1,000	2.0	2,000	**900**	**2.0**	**1,800**
Granville	12,400	1.8	21,900	**11,400**	**1.8**	**20,100**
Greene	3,300	2.6	8,400	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Guilford	15,500	2.3	36,000	**14,100**	**2.1**	**28,800**
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,200**	**2.6**	**5,700**
Harnett	7,900	2.5	19,400	**7,100**	**3.1**	**21,900**
Haywood	6,200	2.3	13,800	**5,900**	**2.7**	**15,900**
Henderson	5,300	2.2	11,400	**5,100**	**2.5**	**12,500**
Hertford	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hoke	2,400	2.6	6,200	**2,600**	**2.3**	**5,900**
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	26,900	2.1	56,500	**24,600**	**2.1**	**50,600**
Jackson	2,400	2.0	4,800	**2,400**	**2.5**	**6,000**
Johnston	9,750	3.4	33,300	**9,600**	**2.9**	**27,500**
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	**1,650**	**3.3**	**5,400**
Lee	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,700**	**2.0**	**5,400**
Lenoir	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lincoln	10,700	1.9	19,700	**12,100**	**2.8**	**33,900**
McDowell	2,900	1.9	5,300	**2,500**	**1.8**	**4,530**
Macon	4,000	2.3	9,100	**4,350**	**2.1**	**9,100**
Madison	7,500	1.7	12,800	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Martin	1,100	2.8	3,050	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Mecklenburg	2,800	1.5	4,200	**2,500**	**2.0**	**4,900**

OTHER HAY
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	*Tons*		*Acres*	*Tons*	
Mitchell	2,300	2.2	5,000	**1,800**	**1.7**	**3,100**
Montgomery	3,400	2.8	9,400	**3,300**	**2.6**	**8,600**
Moore	7,800	2.5	19,400	**7,800**	**2.6**	**20,400**
Nash	7,300	1.9	13,600	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Onslow	2,300	3.2	7,200	**2,450**	**2.8**	**6,900**
Orange	13,800	2.7	36,500	**12,400**	**2.3**	**28,200**
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	1,800	2.7	4,900	**1,650**	**2.5**	**4,130**
Perquimans	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Person	(D)	(D)	(D)	**8,500**	**1.6**	**13,800**
Pitt	2,400	2.3	5,500	**2,300**	**2.1**	**4,670**
Polk	4,600	1.3	6,000	**4,300**	**1.6**	**6,600**
Randolph	21,000	2.2	45,700	**22,000**	**2.3**	**51,000**
Richmond	3,800	3.1	11,700	**4,300**	**3.3**	**14,000**
Robeson	8,800	2.6	22,700	**7,250**	**3.1**	**22,500**
Rockingham	15,200	2.0	30,000	**15,600**	**1.9**	**29,500**
Rowan	16,100	1.9	29,400	**16,900**	**1.9**	**32,000**
Rutherford	13,000	1.3	16,600	**11,100**	**1.6**	**17,800**
Sampson	(D)	(D)	(D)	**21,900**	**3.0**	**65,500**
Scotland	1,300	2.6	3,400	**1,370**	**2.4**	**3,270**
Stanly	11,600	2.0	23,000	**11,900**	**2.0**	**23,400**
Stokes	17,300	2.4	41,000	**15,600**	**2.3**	**35,500**
Surry	20,200	2.8	56,000	**19,100**	**2.4**	**44,700**
Swain	900	2.2	2,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Transylvania	2,000	2.3	4,500	**1,750**	**2.9**	**4,970**
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	11,200	2.0	21,900	**11,100**	**2.2**	**23,800**
Vance	3,200	1.9	6,000	**3,000**	**1.6**	**4,600**
Wake	(D)	(D)	(D)	**6,700**	**1.5**	**10,200**
Warren	7,200	2.2	16,000	**7,500**	**1.5**	**10,700**
Washington	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Watauga	6,800	2.0	13,400	**6,600**	**2.1**	**13,900**
Wayne	6,900	3.2	22,100	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Wilkes	17,000	2.5	42,900	**15,800**	**2.9**	**44,800**
Wilson	(D)	(D)	(D)	**1,000**	**2.6**	**2,620**
Yadkin	16,200	3.0	48,800	**15,200**	**2.8**	**41,600**
Yancey	3,600	1.7	6,200	**2,900**	**2.3**	**6,500**
Other Counties	66,930	2.6	172,220	**39,930**	**2.5**	**101,200**
State Total	680,000	2.3	1,564,000	**650,000**	**2.3**	**1,495,000**

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OTHER HAY
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Tons*
Duplin	80,000
Sampson	65,500
Randolph	51,000
Iredell	50,600
Wilkes	44,800
Surry	44,700
Yadkin	41,600
Stokes	35,500
Davidson	34,200
Lincoln	33,900

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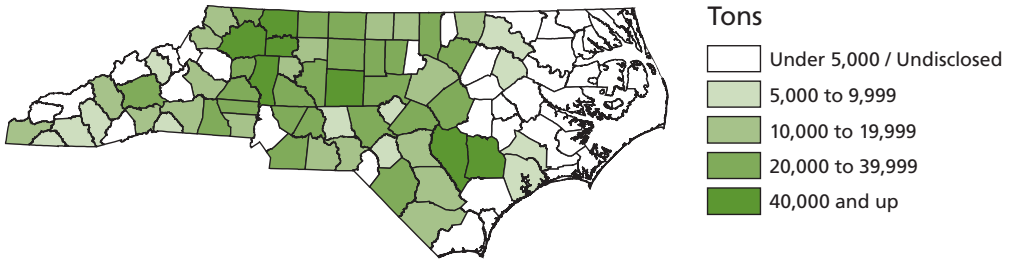
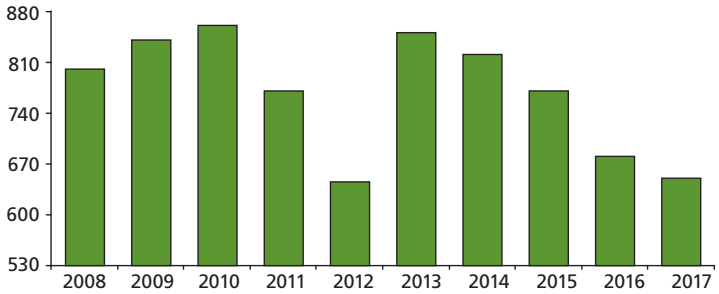


OTHER HAY
Harvested *(Thousand Acres)*



PEANUTS
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Pounds*		*Acres*		*Pounds*	
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Bertie	7,400	7,350	3,522	25,890,000	**8,900**	**8,800**	**4,350**	**38,280,000**
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	3,600	3,550	4,496	15,960,000	**5,000**	**4,900**	**4,898**	**24,000,000**
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	5,300	5,180	3,251	16,840,000	**7,100**	**7,000**	**4,326**	**30,280,000**
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	2,900	2,890	4,125	11,920,000	**3,600**	**3,550**	**4,873**	**17,300,000**
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**4,100**	**4,050**	**3,889**	**15,750,000**
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	6,900	6,850	3,365	23,050,000	**8,800**	**8,400**	**4,135**	**34,730,000**
Harnett	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	4,300	4,270	4,145	17,700,000	**4,900**	**4,850**	**4,915**	**23,840,000**
Hoke	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	1,400	1,400	3,486	4,881,000	**1,900**	**1,850**	**3,757**	**6,950,000**
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	8,900	8,800	3,468	30,520,000	**9,300**	**9,200**	**4,516**	**41,550,000**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

PEANUTS
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Pounds*		*Acres*		*Pounds*	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	4,700	4,680	4,122	19,290,000	**5,300**	**5,250**	**4,310**	**22,630,000**
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	8,300	8,280	2,941	24,350,000	**8,400**	**8,350**	**3,988**	**33,300,000**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	1,200	1,170	3,761	4,400,000	**1,300**	**1,260**	**4,159**	**5,240,000**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	3,500	3,420	3,094	10,580,000	**3,600**	**3,530**	**3,881**	**13,700,000**
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	2,500	2,500	3,480	8,700,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	40,100	38,660	3,502	135,389,000	**46,800**	**46,010**	**3,742**	**172,150,000**
State Total	101,000	99,000	3,530	349,470,000	**119,000**	**117,000**	**4,100**	**479,700,000**

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PEANUTS
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Pounds*
Martin	41,550,000
Bertie	38,280,000
Halifax	34,730,000
Pitt	33,300,000
Edgecombe	30,280,000
Chowan	24,000,000
Hertford	23,840,000
Northampton	22,630,000
Gates	17,300,000
Greene	15,750,000

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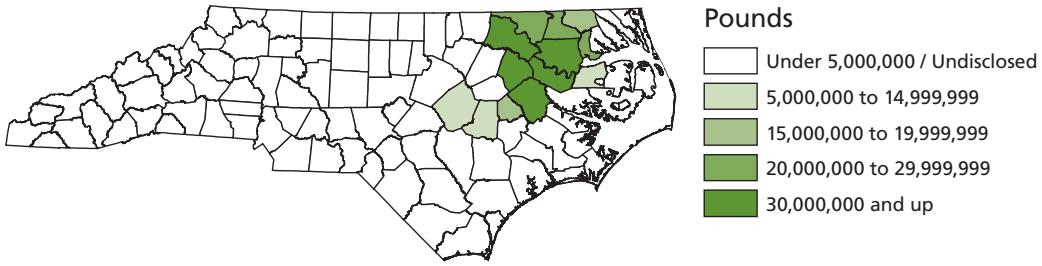

PEANUTS
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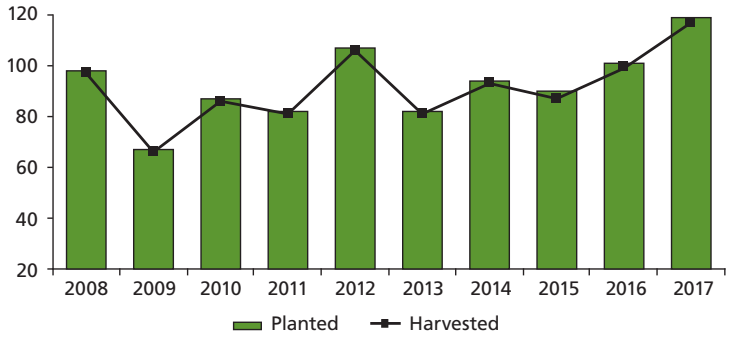

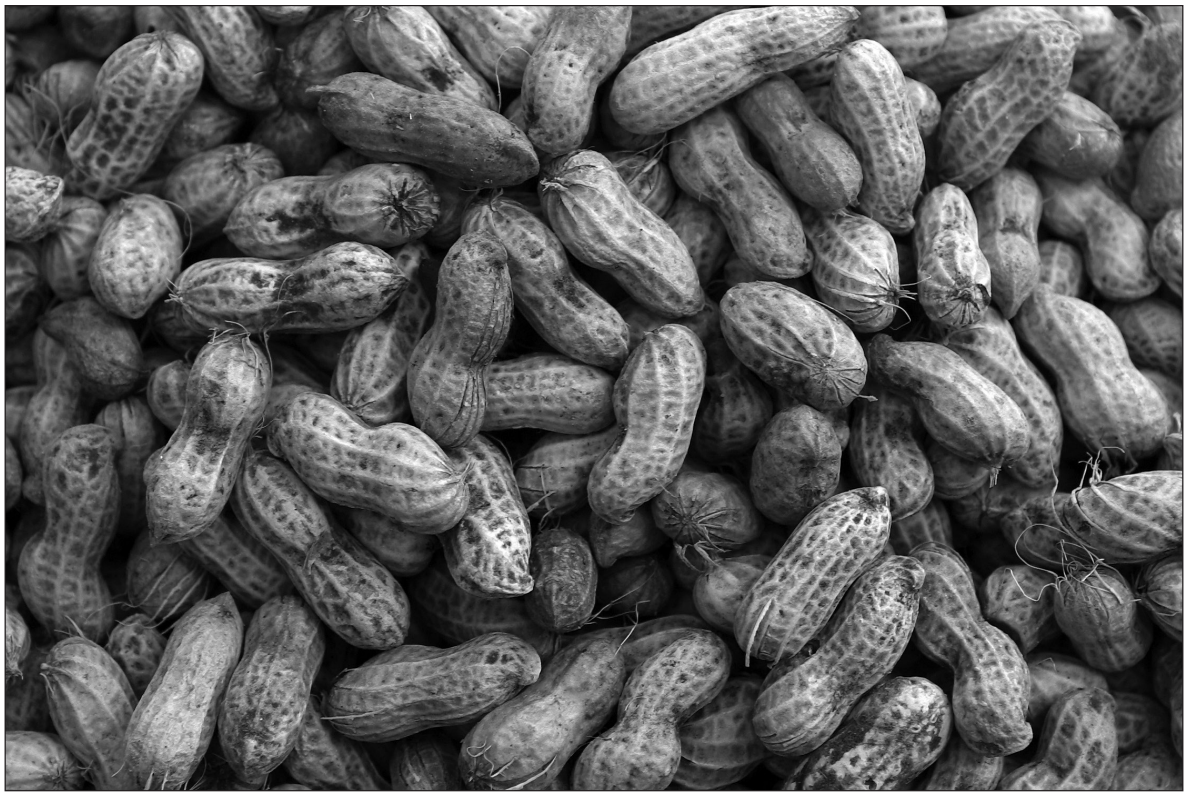

SOYBEANS
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Acres*		*Bushels*	
Alamance	4,700	4,400	33	143,000	**4,800**	**4,710**	**42**	**198,000**
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,300**	**2,270**	**36**	**82,000**
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	61,000	60,500	41	2,460,000	**70,700**	**70,600**	**46**	**3,268,000**
Bertie	32,500	32,300	34	1,081,000	**35,000**	**34,900**	**45**	**1,561,000**
Bladen	17,000	15,000	30	450,000	**18,500**	**18,300**	**32**	**578,000**
Brunswick	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**7,500**	**7,410**	**35**	**257,000**
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	1,100	850	34	28,900	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cabarrus	6,700	6,600	34	222,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Camden	31,000	30,900	41	1,266,000	**28,800**	**28,800**	**44**	**1,258,000**
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Caswell	3,100	2,820	26	74,200	**3,100**	**3,000**	**40**	**121,000**
Catawba	9,600	9,400	30	277,000	**8,800**	**8,680**	**40**	**350,000**
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,900**	**2,680**	**41**	**111,000**
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Chowan	16,000	15,900	43	683,000	**14,900**	**14,800**	**44**	**656,000**
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	16,500	16,300	27	440,000	**16,600**	**16,400**	**40**	**656,000**
Columbus	56,500	56,000	26	1,474,000	**53,100**	**52,800**	**33**	**1,733,000**
Craven	24,500	24,300	34	825,000	**24,000**	**23,900**	**38**	**910,000**
Cumberland	19,500	19,200	30	576,000	**19,900**	**19,800**	**32**	**628,000**
Currituck	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**18,100**	**18,000**	**38**	**683,000**
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Davidson	10,900	10,700	30	321,000	**11,200**	**11,100**	**36**	**395,000**
Davie	7,900	7,800	35	273,000	**9,200**	**9,150**	**42**	**383,000**
Duplin	52,500	52,000	38	1,948,000	**52,900**	**52,800**	**36**	**1,887,000**
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Edgecombe	49,000	48,500	35	1,671,000	**48,600**	**48,400**	**40**	**1,917,000**
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Franklin	18,000	17,600	22	387,000	**17,400**	**17,300**	**33**	**574,000**
Gaston	4,200	4,200	35	147,000	**3,500**	**3,480**	**43**	**150,000**
Gates	21,500	21,400	40	860,000	**24,100**	**24,000**	**45**	**1,076,000**
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	5,000	4,800	26	125,000	**4,500**	**4,110**	**28**	**114,000**
Greene	36,000	35,500	39	1,383,000	**32,200**	**32,200**	**39**	**1,269,000**
Guilford	11,000	10,200	31	311,000	**10,900**	**10,300**	**39**	**401,000**
Halifax	36,500	36,300	37	1,343,000	**35,400**	**35,300**	**42**	**1,484,000**
Harnett	30,000	29,300	31	893,000	**28,800**	**28,700**	**32**	**916,000**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hyde	36,000	34,800	45	1,570,000	**35,500**	**35,500**	**52**	**1,848,000**
Iredell	17,500	17,400	37	635,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	52,000	51,000	31	1,575,000	**54,800**	**54,400**	**34**	**1,862,000**
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lee	5,000	4,900	26	125,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lenoir	40,000	39,000	37	1,453,000	**37,700**	**37,600**	**40**	**1,496,000**
Lincoln	9,000	8,600	27	228,000	**6,100**	**6,070**	**42**	**254,000**
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	24,000	23,800	35	837,000	**22,700**	**22,600**	**40**	**912,000**
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**

SOYBEANS
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Acres*		*Bushels*	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Moore	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**4,900**	**4,840**	**24**	**115,000**
Nash	31,500	31,400	26	820,000	**30,200**	**30,100**	**37**	**1,099,000**
New Hanover	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Northampton	36,500	36,300	35	1,270,000	**33,100**	**32,800**	**42**	**1,379,000**
Onslow	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Orange	3,700	3,500	36	125,000	**3,900**	**3,780**	**38**	**144,000**
Pamlico	19,500	19,400	40	780,000	**18,100**	**18,100**	**47**	**844,000**
Pasquotank	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**52,300**	**52,300**	**49**	**2,534,000**
Pender	17,500	17,400	35	609,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Perquimans	45,500	45,000	38	1,726,000	**44,600**	**44,500**	**45**	**2,000,000**
Person	14,000	13,000	29	370,000	**13,100**	**12,400**	**31**	**386,000**
Pitt	63,500	60,500	31	1,890,000	**60,100**	**60,000**	**39**	**2,352,000**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	9,000	8,800	33	290,000	**9,200**	**8,910**	**37**	**330,000**
Richmond	4,200	4,000	21	82,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Robeson	82,500	81,000	32	2,551,000	**87,500**	**87,200**	**36**	**3,102,000**
Rockingham	5,800	5,300	30	159,000	**5,200**	**4,990**	**43**	**213,000**
Rowan	20,000	19,700	34	670,000	**17,900**	**17,800**	**39**	**699,000**
Rutherford	1,800	1,700	29	48,400	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Sampson	60,000	59,500	39	2,320,000	**62,000**	**61,800**	**43**	**2,671,000**
Scotland	12,000	11,800	29	346,000	**12,800**	**12,800**	**31**	**394,000**
Stanly	19,500	19,400	38	737,000	**19,600**	**19,600**	**35**	**688,000**
Stokes	3,000	2,700	29	79,100	**2,700**	**2,500**	**34**	**85,000**
Surry	10,600	10,400	40	416,000	**11,900**	**11,700**	**42**	**493,000**
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	30,000	29,300	33	974,000	**32,600**	**32,500**	**47**	**1,530,000**
Union	62,000	61,900	43	2,678,000	**63,300**	**63,300**	**44**	**2,797,000**
Vance	6,800	6,700	27	182,000	**5,900**	**5,830**	**32**	**184,000**
Wake	12,500	12,300	25	307,000	**12,800**	**12,600**	**25**	**320,000**
Warren	8,200	8,000	25	200,000	**8,700**	**8,470**	**29**	**241,000**
Washington	43,000	42,500	40	1,700,000	**39,700**	**39,600**	**46**	**1,819,000**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	57,500	55,000	33	1,814,000	**61,500**	**61,500**	**39**	**2,422,000**
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**1,600**	**1,560**	**43**	**66,700**
Wilson	34,500	34,400	35	1,210,000	**33,400**	**33,300**	**44**	**1,471,000**
Yadkin	18,800	18,700	32	599,000	**19,000**	**18,800**	**38**	**706,000**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	190,900	188,130	38	7,062,400	**167,900**	**166,360**	**39**	**6,527,300**
State Total	1,690,000	1,660,000	35	58,100,000	**1,700,000**	**1,690,000**	**40**	**67,600,000**

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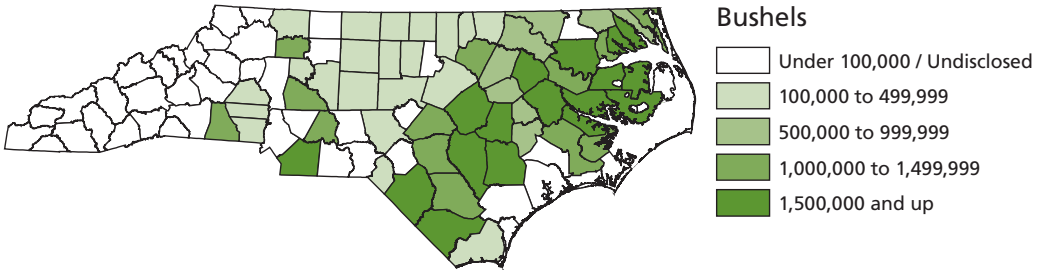
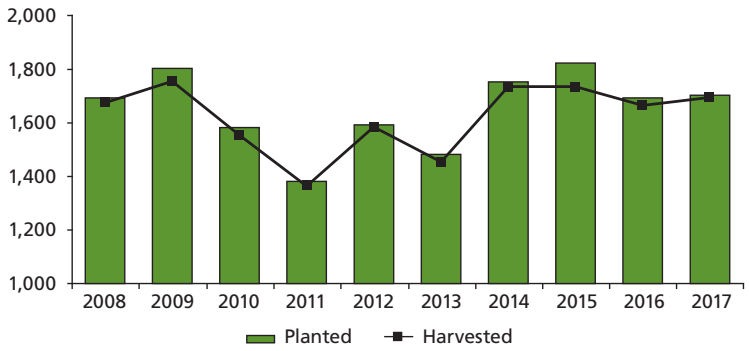
SOYBEANS
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Bushels*
Beaufort	3,268,000
Robeson	3,102,000
Union	2,797,000
Sampson	2,671,000
Pasquotank	2,534,000
Wayne	2,422,000
Pitt	2,352,000
Perquimans	2,000,000
Edgecombe	1,917,000
Duplin	1,887,000

[1] *Ranking of published counties only.*



SOYBEANS
Planted and Harvested *(Thousand Acres)*



SWEET POTATOES
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Hundredweight*		*Acres*		*Hundredweight*	
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Bertie	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	4,900	4,800	165	786,000	**3,400**	**3,400**	**230**	**790,000**
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**8,500**	**8,470**	**210**	**1,796,000**
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Harnett	2,600	2,540	185	464,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	11,100	10,900	165	1,785,000	**10,900**	**10,800**	**195**	**2,115,000**
Jones	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	3,200	3,150	215	679,000	**2,800**	**2,750**	**240**	**659,000**
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**400**	**390**	**225**	**87,800**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

SWEET POTATOES
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Hundredweight*		*Acres*		*Hundredweight*	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	10,700	10,400	175	1,842,000	**9,700**	**9,670**	**225**	**2,173,000**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	13,900	13,600	200	2,724,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Scotland	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	1,000	950	160	150,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	6,800	6,700	170	1,144,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	10,500	10,400	205	2,132,000	**9,700**	**9,700**	**255**	**2,456,000**
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	33,300	31,560	171	5,394,000	**44,600**	**44,320**	**217**	**9,613,200**
State Total	98,000	95,000	180	17,100,000	**90,000**	**89,500**	**220**	**19,690,000**

** Less than 100 Planted Acres. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.*

SWEET POTATOES
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Hundredweight*
Wilson	2,456,000
Nash	2,173,000
Johnston	2,115,000
Edgecombe	1,796,000
Duplin	790,000
Lenoir	659,000
Martin	87,800

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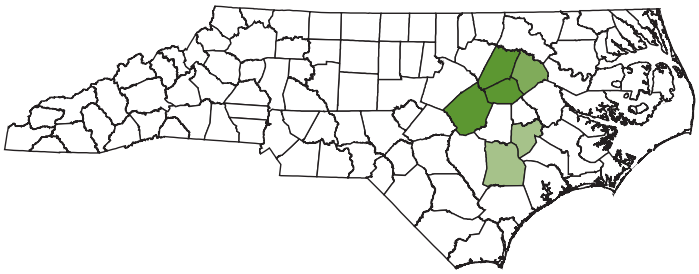
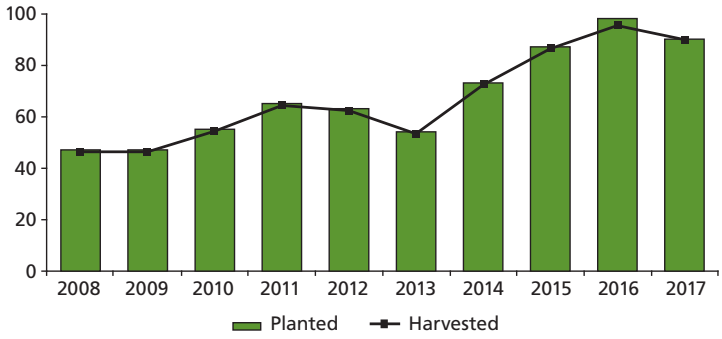


Hundredweight

- Under 250,000 / Undisclosed
- 250,000 to 499,999
- 500,000 to 1,499,999
- 1,500,000 to 1,999,999
- 2,000,000 and up

SWEET POTATOES
Planted and Harvested *(Thousand Acres)*



FLUE-CURED TOBACCO
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	*Pounds*		*Acres*	*Pounds*	
Alamance	1,060	1,745	1,850,000	**1,020**	**2,090**	**2,130,000**
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	1,940	1,840	3,570,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Bertie	4,220	1,895	8,000,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Brunswick						
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Caswell	2,500	2,140	5,350,000	**2,490**	**2,235**	**5,570,000**
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Craven	1,310	1,960	2,570,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	**3,300**	**2,115**	**6,980,000**
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	(D)	(D)	(D)	**450**	**1,700**	**765,000**
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	2,900	1,655	4,800,000	**2,840**	**1,605**	**4,560,000**
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Edgecombe	6,480	2,200	14,250,000	**6,370**	**2,270**	**14,470,000**
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Franklin	4,080	1,960	8,000,000	**4,410**	**2,420**	**10,670,000**
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	3,300	1,815	5,990,000	**3,010**	**2,175**	**6,550,000**
Greene	6,530	2,060	13,450,000	**7,780**	**2,190**	**17,020,000**
Guilford	2,410	1,795	4,330,000	**2,030**	**1,805**	**3,660,000**
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	**3,380**	**2,350**	**7,940,000**
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	**7,140**	**2,200**	**15,700,000**
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	10,800	2,100	22,680,000	**9,300**	**2,340**	**21,750,000**
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,610**	**1,725**	**4,500,000**
Lee	2,620	2,040	5,350,000	**2,360**	**2,175**	**5,130,000**
Lenoir	6,530	1,920	12,540,000	**6,150**	**2,070**	**12,740,000**
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	5,010	2,040	10,220,000	**4,720**	**2,490**	**11,750,000**
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*

FLUE-CURED TOBACCO
Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016			2017		
	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres	*Pounds*		*Acres*	*Pounds*	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Moore	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Nash	9,050	2,160	19,550,000	**8,420**	**2,455**	**20,670,000**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Onslow	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Orange	820	2,135	1,750,000	**810**	**1,965**	**1,590,000**
Pamlico	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	*	*
Person	5,080	2,145	10,900,000	**5,160**	**2,330**	**12,030,000**
Pitt	6,430	2,055	13,220,000	**6,620**	**2,205**	**14,610,000**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	740	1,985	1,470,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	1,880	2,130	4,000,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Rockingham	3,520	1,970	6,930,000	**3,510**	**1,965**	**6,890,000**
Rowan	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	12,500	1,920	24,000,000	**12,500**	**2,035**	**25,430,000**
Scotland	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	1,900	1,765	3,350,000	**1,830**	**1,840**	**3,370,000**
Surry	2,990	1,970	5,890,000	**2,730**	**2,465**	**6,730,000**
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	1,820	2,410	4,390,000	**1,800**	**2,435**	**4,380,000**
Wake	3,750	2,130	7,990,000	**3,610**	**2,130**	**7,690,000**
Warren	1,420	2,360	3,350,000	**1,460**	**2,440**	**3,560,000**
Washington	300	2,100	630,000	**280**	**2,035**	**570,000**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	9,440	1,900	17,950,000	**8,000**	**2,165**	**17,310,000**
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Wilson	8,390	2,095	17,580,000	**9,470**	**2,445**	**23,150,000**
Yadkin	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	33,280	1,926	64,100,000	**27,440**	**2,140**	**58,735,000**
State Total	165,000	2,000	330,000,000	**163,000**	**2,200**	**358,600,000**

** Less than 50 Harvested Acres. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.*

FLUE-CURED TOBACCO
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Pounds*
Sampson	25,430,000
Wilson	23,150,000
Johnston	21,750,000
Nash	20,670,000
Wayne	17,310,000
Greene	17,020,000
Harnett	15,700,000
Pitt	14,610,000
Edgecombe	14,470,000
Lenoir	12,740,000

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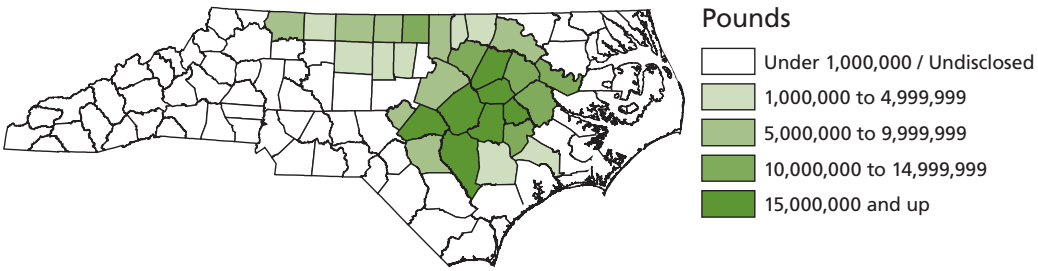
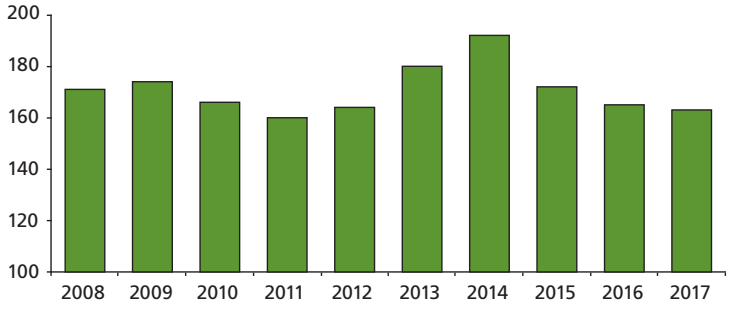


FLUE-CURED TOBACCO
Harvested *(Thousand Acres)*



WHEAT

Acres, Yield and Production

Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Acres*		*Bushels*	
Alamance	2,000	1,850	49	90,000	**1,800**	**900**	**55**	**49,400**
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Alleghany	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	6,800	4,500	32	144,000	**11,000**	**10,300**	**62**	**637,000**
Bertie	11,000	9,600	43	411,000	**8,800**	**8,100**	**58**	**470,000**
Bladen	3,200	3,020	32	95,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cabarrus	3,900	3,250	42	137,000	**4,200**	**3,100**	**53**	**165,000**
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Camden	7,400	7,300	48	348,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Caswell	1,500	1,150	54	62,600	**1,400**	**680**	**57**	**38,900**
Catawba	5,100	4,580	48	221,000	**4,800**	**3,680**	**64**	**236,000**
Chatham	600	530	49	26,200	**1,000**	**950**	**52**	**49,500**
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	3,600	3,100	53	164,000	**3,700**	**3,410**	**63**	**214,000**
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	8,200	6,800	51	344,000	**9,000**	**8,780**	**56**	**493,000**
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Craven	1,000	950	37	35,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Currituck	5,000	4,720	36	169,000	**4,500**	**4,380**	**50**	**220,000**
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Davidson	1,800	1,400	55	76,600	**2,100**	**1,330**	**56**	**73,900**
Davie	3,000	2,800	43	120,000	**3,500**	**2,600**	**57**	**148,000**
Duplin	8,500	7,500	25	188,000	**13,000**	**11,600**	**44**	**514,000**
Durham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Edgecombe	7,800	7,250	21	154,000	**10,000**	**9,240**	**51**	**474,000**
Forsyth	700	630	54	33,900	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Franklin	6,400	6,000	29	174,000	**6,500**	**4,750**	**49**	**232,000**
Gaston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**2,300**	**1,480**	**54**	**80,400**
Gates	4,600	4,350	53	232,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	4,800	3,250	40	129,000	**4,700**	**3,310**	**51**	**168,000**
Greene	4,100	3,400	32	107,000	**5,500**	**4,500**	**55**	**247,000**
Guilford	4,800	3,450	51	177,000	**3,900**	**2,600**	**54**	**140,000**
Halifax	6,700	5,200	43	224,000	**4,800**	**3,000**	**52**	**156,000**
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**6,800**	**5,700**	**58**	**332,000**
Haywood	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hoke	2,100	2,010	34	68,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Hyde	4,700	4,250	29	121,000	**6,400**	**4,980**	**66**	**329,000**
Iredell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**8,600**	**6,400**	**57**	**365,000**
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	6,200	5,600	38	215,000	**8,200**	**5,200**	**48**	**251,000**
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**3,700**	**3,500**	**57**	**201,000**
Lee	500	480	50	24,200	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Lenoir	6,600	5,900	24	142,000	**7,000**	**4,970**	**54**	**270,000**
Lincoln	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**4,100**	**2,240**	**56**	**125,000**
Mcdowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	4,600	3,550	35	123,000	**4,800**	**2,900**	**49**	**142,000**
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**600**	**430**	**58**	**25,000**

WHEAT

Acres, Yield and Production

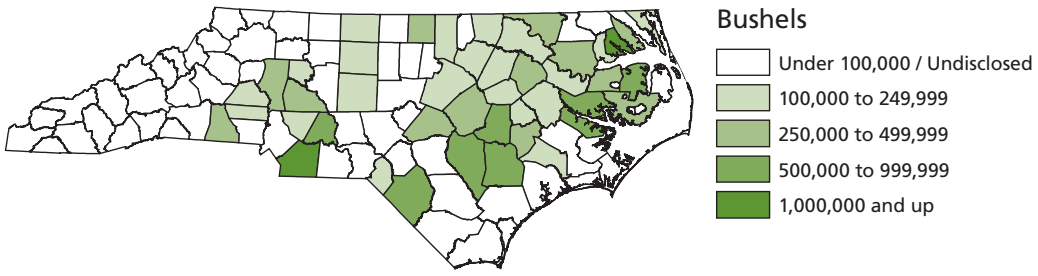
Counties	2016				2017			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		*Bushels*		*Acres*		*Bushels*	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Moore	1,600	1,500	47	71,000	**1,800**	**1,490**	**50**	**74,900**
Nash	4,500	3,900	38	147,000	**3,600**	**2,610**	**55**	**143,000**
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**8,600**	**7,250**	**64**	**465,000**
Onslow	1,100	960	22	21,500	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Orange	1,500	1,040	52	54,400	**1,600**	**760**	**59**	**44,900**
Pamlico	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Pasquotank	9,100	8,800	44	386,000	**7,000**	**6,880**	**65**	**444,000**
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Perquimans	12,500	12,000	56	673,000	**15,000**	**14,500**	**70**	**1,014,000**
Person	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**8,900**	**7,040**	**45**	**317,000**
Pitt	5,000	3,800	24	91,200	**4,800**	**3,740**	**54**	**200,000**
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	3,800	2,420	53	127,000	**4,300**	**3,470**	**54**	**186,000**
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Robeson	27,500	26,500	32	840,000	**22,500**	**21,600**	**44**	**941,000**
Rockingham	3,500	2,650	53	140,000	**4,300**	**3,160**	**47**	**148,000**
Rowan	11,500	10,000	57	567,000	**8,600**	**7,000**	**64**	**447,000**
Rutherford	800	670	45	30,100	*	*	*	*
Sampson	8,400	5,560	34	187,000	**12,100**	**11,200**	**57**	**638,000**
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**4,700**	**4,490**	**35**	**159,000**
Stanly	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**13,500**	**8,740**	**61**	**531,000**
Stokes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**1,000**	**630**	**41**	**26,000**
Surry	3,100	2,800	61	170,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	10,700	9,300	28	256,000	**10,000**	**9,700**	**62**	**598,000**
Union	38,600	36,000	50	1,815,000	**49,600**	**48,700**	**55**	**2,660,000**
Vance	2,000	1,900	51	96,700	**2,100**	**1,700**	**55**	**93,500**
Wake	2,800	2,230	29	65,500	**3,000**	**2,720**	**45**	**122,000**
Warren	2,000	1,730	50	87,000	**2,500**	**2,000**	**63**	**126,000**
Washington	8,300	6,200	20	125,000	**6,100**	**5,900**	**64**	**378,000**
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**19,000**	**16,100**	**49**	**795,000**
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Wilson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	**5,800**	**2,300**	**60**	**138,000**
Yadkin	4,000	3,680	59	216,000	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**	**(D)**
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	120,500	92,990	41	3,833,100	**72,900**	**56,310**	**55**	**3,089,600**
State Total	420,000	355,000	41	14,555,000	**450,000**	**375,000**	**55**	**20,625,000**

** Less than 500 Planted Acres. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.*

WHEAT
2017 Production

Leading Counties [1]	*Bushels*
Union	2,660,000
Perquimans	1,014,000
Robeson	941,000
Wayne	795,000
Sampson	638,000
Beaufort	637,000
Tyrrell	598,000
Stanly	531,000
Duplin	514,000
Cleveland	493,000

[1] *Ranking of published counties only.*



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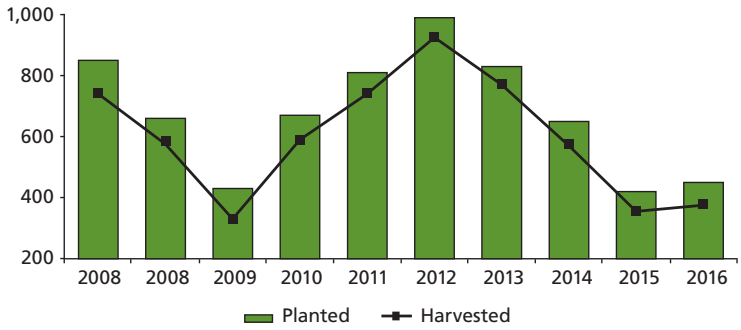

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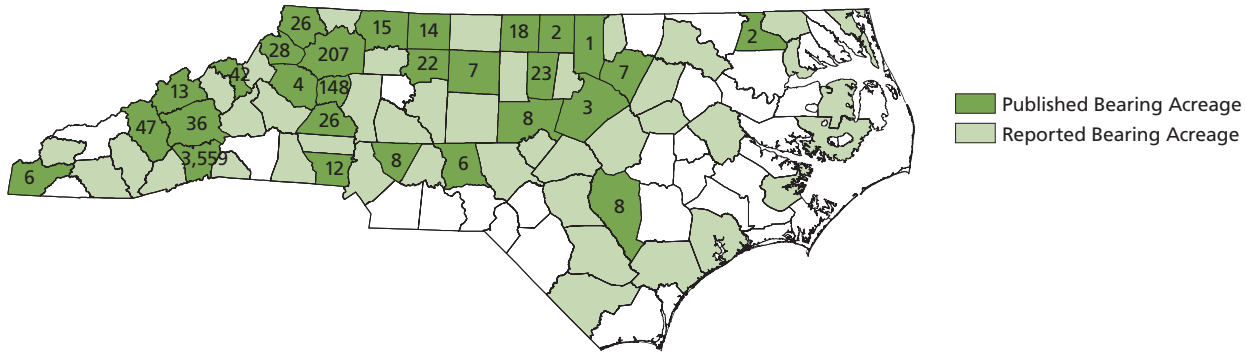

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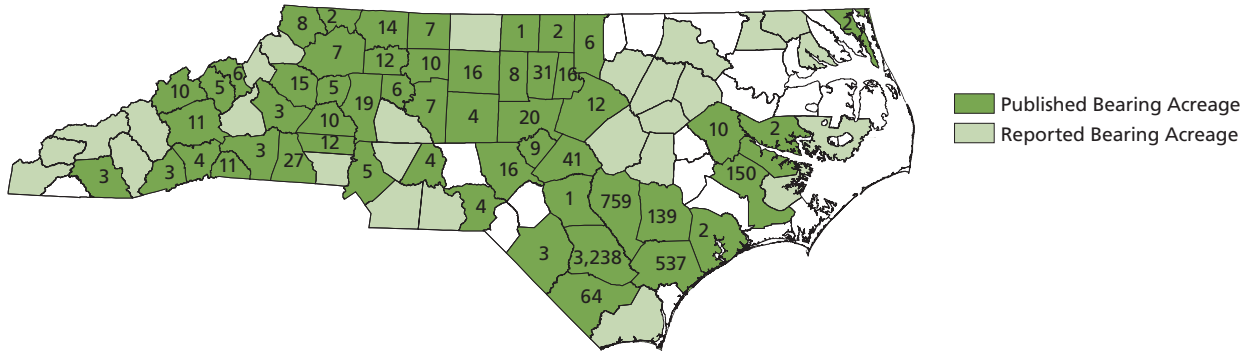

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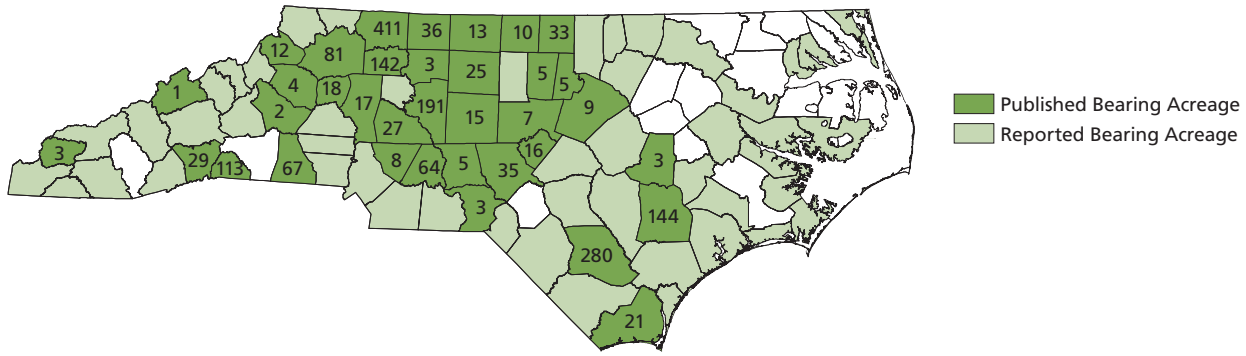

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TOP PEACH COUNTIES
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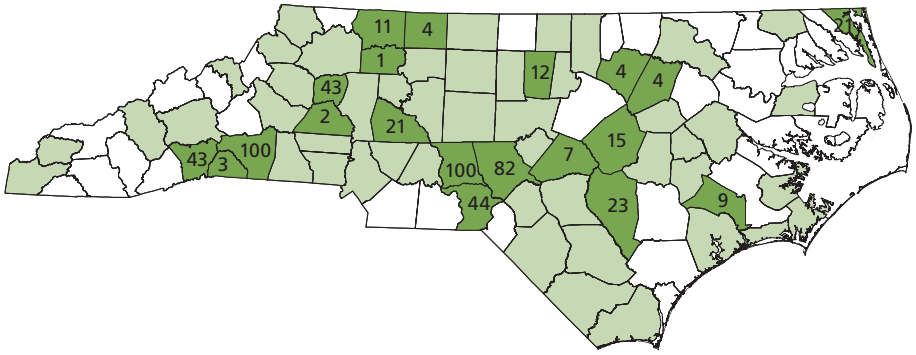

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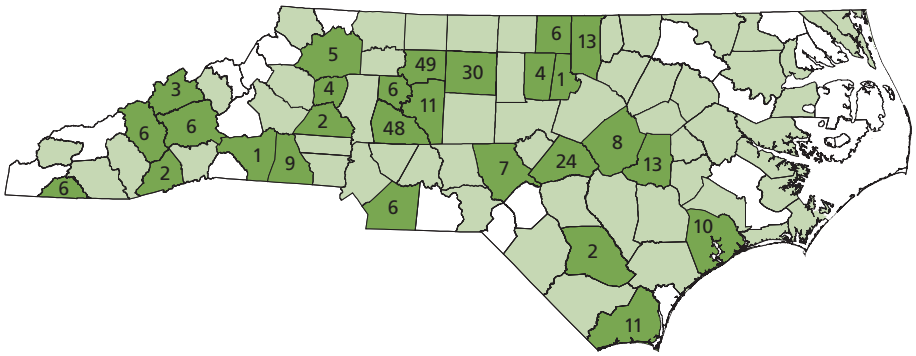

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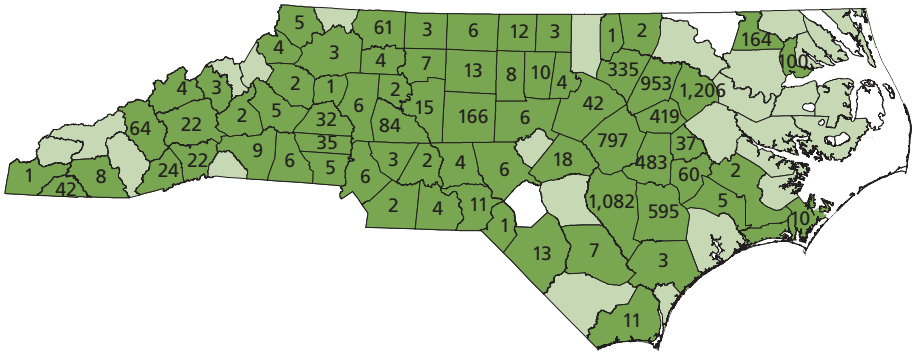

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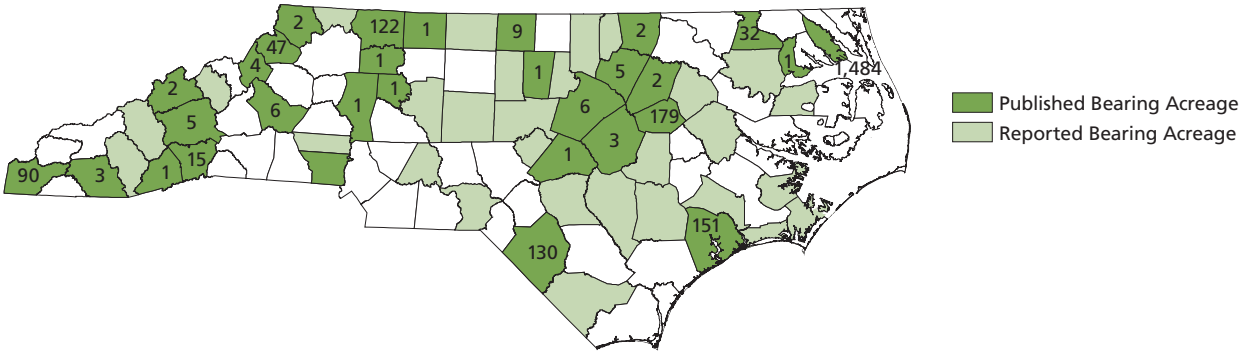
TOP HEAD CABBAGE COUNTIES
(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)



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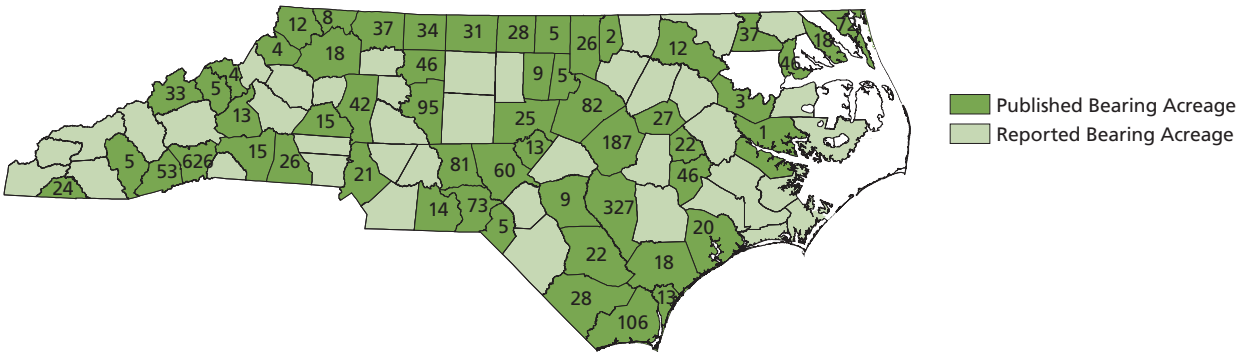

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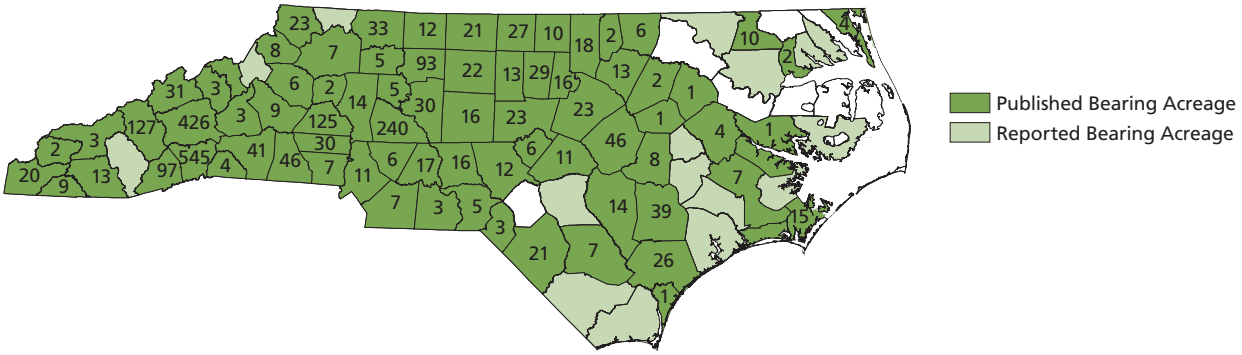
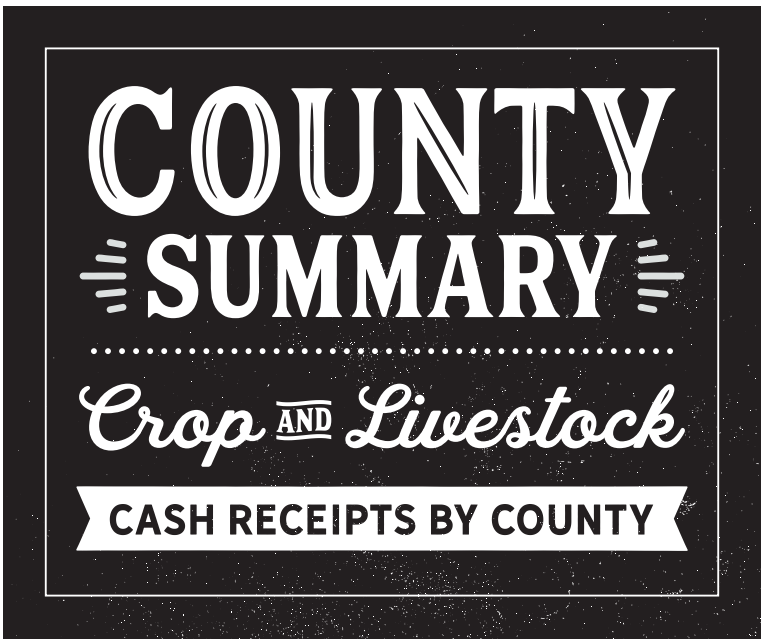
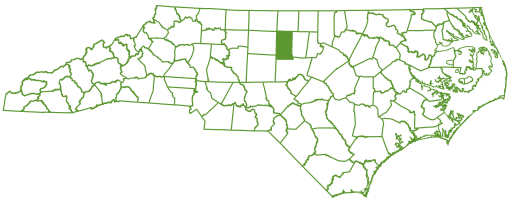



COUNTY
SUMMARY
Crop AND Livestock
CASH RECEIPTS BY COUNTY

ALAMANCE COUNTY

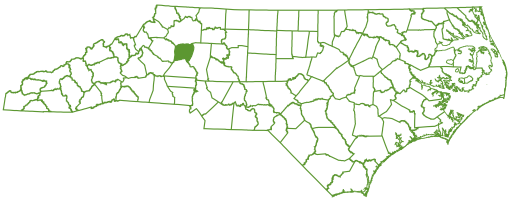
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	271,353
Number of Farms	732
Total Land in Farms, Acres	83,551
Average Farm Size, Acres	114
Harvested Cropland, Acres	26,843
Average Age of Farmers	59.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$393,941,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$44,251,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$46,705



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,390	123	295,000	57
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	1.95	30,100	13
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	4,710	42	198,000	60
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,020	2,090	2,130,000	38
Wheat: Bu.	900	55	49,400	63
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			690,000	54
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			17,000	15
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,100	13
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	13
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			165,000	18
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			19,744,368	55
Crops			14,532,767	66
Government Payments			57,305	85
Total			34,334,440	68

ALEXANDER COUNTY

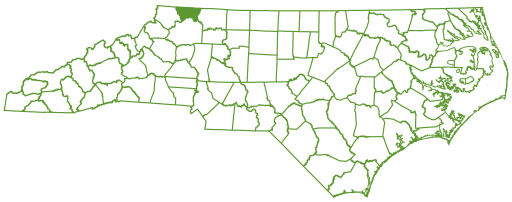
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	166,122
Number of Farms	603
Total Land in Farms, Acres	58,668
Average Farm Size, Acres	97
Harvested Cropland, Acres	19,005
Average Age of Farmers	56.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$349,009,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$42,624,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$251,692



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	660	132	87,100	75
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	8,800	2.35	20,800	29
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	2,270	36	82,000	73
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			32,300,000	9
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			23,500	6
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,100	13
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	4
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			920,000	5
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			181,493,791	9
Crops			9,311,695	79
Government Payments			95,659	80
Total			190,901,145	17

ALLEGHANY COUNTY

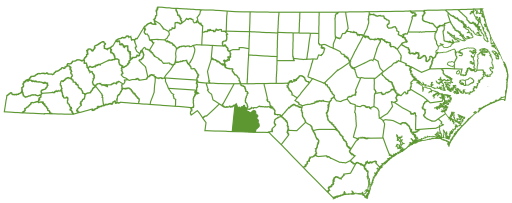
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	150,398
Number of Farms	567
Total Land in Farms, Acres	90,926
Average Farm Size, Acres	160
Harvested Cropland, Acres	30,201
Average Age of Farmers	60.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$436,684,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$40,000,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$58,246



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	12,700	2.35	29,900	14
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			23,500	6
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,100	13
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	4
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			14,597,924	61
Crops			19,720,068	52
Government Payments			37,935	93
Total			34,355,927	67

ANSON COUNTY

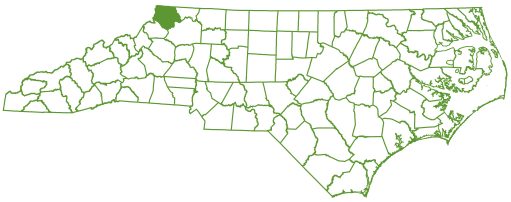
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	340,216
Number of Farms	429
Total Land in Farms, Acres	83,601
Average Farm Size, Acres	195
Harvested Cropland, Acres	24,035
Average Age of Farmers	59.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$311,435,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$41,719,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$359,385



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,440	119	1,004,000	38
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	5,300	2.30	12,200	47
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			29,600,000	10
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			11,000	28
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,600	31
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			52,000	25
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			315,000	13
Turkeys Raised (2017)			1,100,000	9
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			179,522,527	10
Crops			17,529,106	59
Government Payments			873,859	41
Total			197,925,492	14

ASHE COUNTY

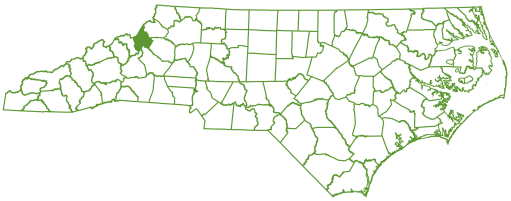
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	272,778
Number of Farms	1,140
Total Land in Farms, Acres	112,462
Average Farm Size, Acres	99
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,700
Average Age of Farmers	59.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$639,614,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$62,510,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$42,362



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	9,400	2.00	18,800	33
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			19,500	10
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			6,300	19
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	32
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,900	49
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			9,470,048	70
Crops			43,750,579	30
Government Payments			50,738	88
Total			53,271,365	58

AVERY COUNTY

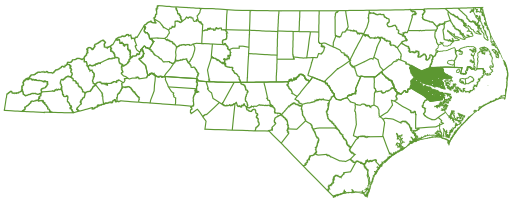
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	158,108
Number of Farms	483
Total Land in Farms, Acres	28,224
Average Farm Size, Acres	58
Harvested Cropland, Acres	9,935
Average Age of Farmers	58.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$196,675,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$26,659,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$30,389



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	73
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	75
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			1,058,781	89
Crops			18,341,730	56
Government Payments			40,806	91
Total			19,441,317	83

BEAUFORT COUNTY

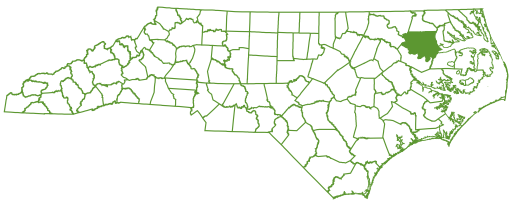
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	529,908
Number of Farms	364
Total Land in Farms, Acres	148,286
Average Farm Size, Acres	407
Harvested Cropland, Acres	125,583
Average Age of Farmers	59.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$453,089,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$79,425,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$244,377



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	42,500	165	7,011,000	2
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,500	1,041	20,600	13
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	70,600	46	3,268,000	1
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	10,300	62	637,000	6
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	77
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	75
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			41,000	29
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			26,877,578	47
Crops			77,083,009	13
Government Payments			4,732,211	12
Total			108,692,798	35

BERTIE COUNTY

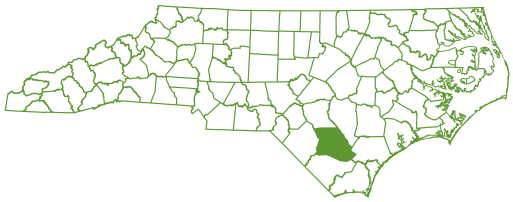
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	447,601
Number of Farms	325
Total Land in Farms, Acres	146,754
Average Farm Size, Acres	452
Harvested Cropland, Acres	93,224
Average Age of Farmers	56.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$396,719,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$71,255,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$558,098



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,910	138	1,363,000	30
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	19,200	1,025	41,000	4
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	8,800	4,350	38,280,000	2
Soybeans: Bu.	34,900	45	1,561,000	15
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	8,100	58	470,000	13
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			33,400,000	8
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			800	86
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			500	85
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			154,444,938	13
Crops			61,235,315	22
Government Payments			7,934,801	2
Total			223,615,054	11

BLADEN COUNTY

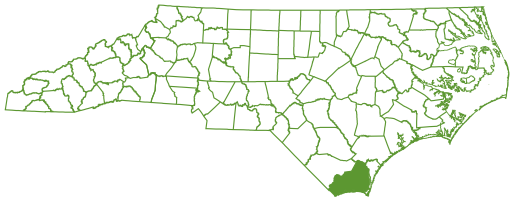
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	559,592
Number of Farms	492
Total Land in Farms, Acres	117,323
Average Farm Size, Acres	238
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,976
Average Age of Farmers	58.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$386,160,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$52,627,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$475,886



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	21,000	138	2,900,000	15
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	4,100	3.00	12,200	47
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	18,300	32	578,000	41
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			11,500,000	19
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,000	56
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			720,000	3
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			2,000,000	5
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			286,662,346	6
Crops			73,881,196	14
Government Payments			4,090,246	15
Total			364,633,788	6

BRUNSWICK COUNTY

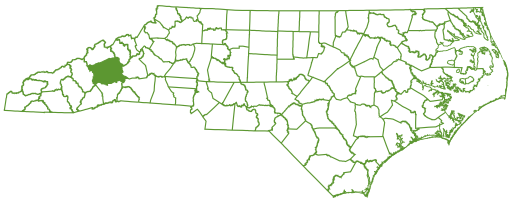
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	542,033
Number of Farms	254
Total Land in Farms, Acres	45,442
Average Farm Size, Acres	179
Harvested Cropland, Acres	24,761
Average Age of Farmers	58.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$195,489,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$23,493,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$181,893



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,490	140	1,050,000	37
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	7,410	35	257,000	55
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,800	67
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			80,000	18
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,500	60
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			22,326,209	52
Crops			25,293,556	46
Government Payments			283,126	55
Total			47,902,891	61

BUNCOMBE COUNTY

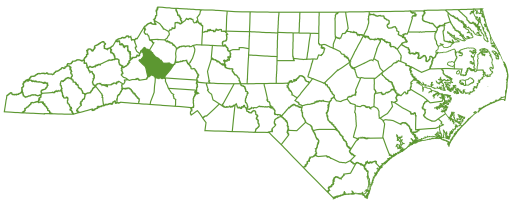
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	419,779
Number of Farms	1,060
Total Land in Farms, Acres	71,480
Average Farm Size, Acres	67
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,247
Average Age of Farmers	60.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$614,826,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$51,698,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$48,756



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	130	159	20,700	92
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	9,400	2.65	25,000	21
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			6,400	60
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,500	17
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,100	13
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			800	17
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			9,300	45
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			10,125,720	68
Crops			44,041,981	29
Government Payments			352,959	52
Total			54,520,660	57

BURKE COUNTY

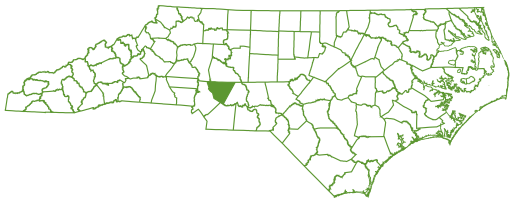
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	324,276
Number of Farms	486
Total Land in Farms, Acres	34,387
Average Farm Size, Acres	71
Harvested Cropland, Acres	11,599
Average Age of Farmers	57.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$182,877,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$24,635,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$86,421



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,250	112	140,000	69
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	5,900	2.05	12,000	49
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			5,500,000	34
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,100	50
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,700	48
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			160,000	20
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			30,962,409	45
Crops			11,890,268	74
Government Payments			117,018	79
Total			42,969,695	63

CABARRUS COUNTY

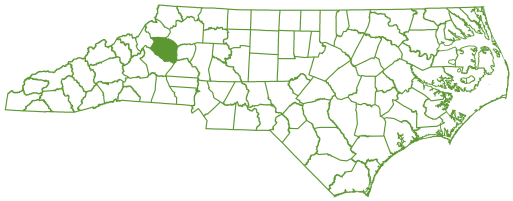
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	231,524
Number of Farms	589
Total Land in Farms, Acres	66,241
Average Farm Size, Acres	112
Harvested Cropland, Acres	28,005
Average Age of Farmers	59.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$485,206,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$38,509,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$82,670



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,190	141	592,000	49
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	13,500	1.95	26,500	20
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	3,100	53	165,000	38
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			3,200,000	41
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,000	25
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			6,800	18
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	11
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			38,016,089	43
Crops			12,083,994	72
Government Payments			258,345	57
Total			50,358,428	60

CALDWELL COUNTY

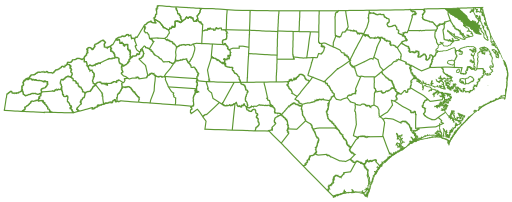
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	301,819
Number of Farms	411
Total Land in Farms, Acres	32,057
Average Farm Size, Acres	78
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,367
Average Age of Farmers	59.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$176,987,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$18,769,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$38,396



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			1,300,000	51
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,300	46
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,100	46
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			10,396,490	67
Crops			10,143,939	76
Government Payments			28,210	96
Total			20,568,639	82

CAMDEN COUNTY

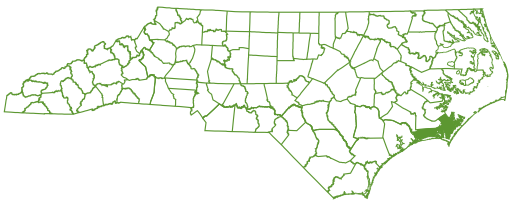
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	153,958
Number of Farms	60
Total Land in Farms, Acres	49,310
Average Farm Size, Acres	822
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,537
Average Age of Farmers	56.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$140,074,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$27,045,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$550,877



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	19,300	183	3,538,000	10
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	28,800	44	1,258,000	22
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	97
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	94
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			1,622,199	88
Crops			39,701,235	32
Government Payments			1,887,090	27
Total			43,210,524	62

CARTERET COUNTY

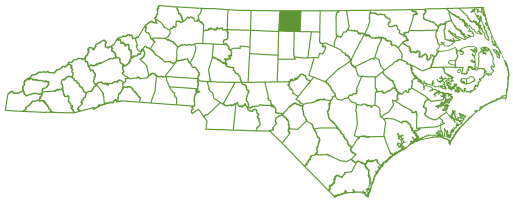
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	323,655
Number of Farms	125
Total Land in Farms, Acres	62,836
Average Farm Size, Acres	503
Harvested Cropland, Acres	44,851
Average Age of Farmers	60.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$206,634,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$11,503,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$168,182



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			300	91
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			200	91
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,400	61
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			935,889	90
Crops			22,347,764	49
Government Payments			235,179	60
Total			23,518,832	79

CASWELL COUNTY

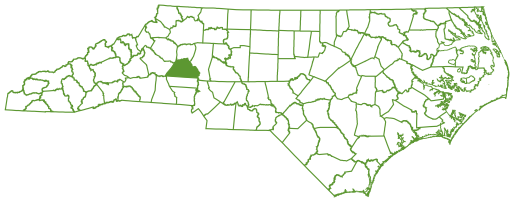
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	271,679
Number of Farms	543
Total Land in Farms, Acres	97,060
Average Farm Size, Acres	179
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,152
Average Age of Farmers	59.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$279,275,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$34,948,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$57,546



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	9,600	1.90	18,100	34
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	3,000	40	121,000	67
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,490	2,235	5,570,000	23
Wheat: Bu.	680	57	38,900	66
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,600	34
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			285,000	17
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			13,607,430	63
Crops			16,021,762	64
Government Payments			87,829	81
Total			29,717,021	70

CATAWBA COUNTY

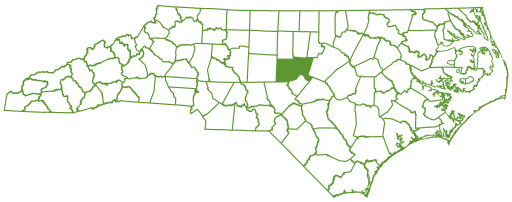
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	255,179
Number of Farms	698
Total Land in Farms, Acres	67,098
Average Farm Size, Acres	96
Harvested Cropland, Acres	26,641
Average Age of Farmers	59.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$362,338,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$41,292,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$85,948



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,150	157	495,000	50
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	13,000	1.85	24,300	22
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	8,680	40	350,000	52
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	3,680	64	236,000	27
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)	11,500,000	19	11,500,000	19
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)	13,000	21	13,000	21
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)	7,400	12	7,400	12
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)	400	24	400	24
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)	*	*	*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)	80,000	29	80,000	29
Turkeys Raised (2017)	*	*	*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			60,774,780	33
Crops			18,428,617	55
Government Payments			251,537	58
Total			79,454,934	44

CHATHAM COUNTY

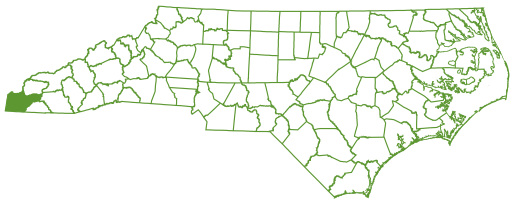
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	436,696
Number of Farms	1,138
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,778
Average Farm Size, Acres	98
Harvested Cropland, Acres	21,708
Average Age of Farmers	58.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$554,504,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$53,493,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$131,931



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,980	131	259,000	58
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,400	2.15	33,400	11
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	2,680	41	111,000	70
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	950	52	49,500	62
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			20,200,000	16
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			37,500	4
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,900	2
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	11
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			5,000	44
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			310,000	14
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			119,911,359	21
Crops			9,118,621	81
Government Payments			48,260	89
Total			129,078,240	31

CHEROKEE COUNTY

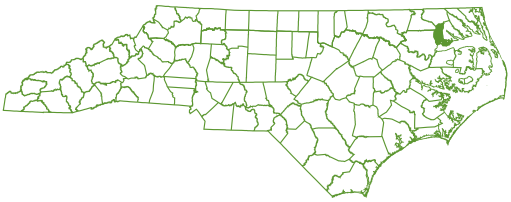
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	291,367
Number of Farms	255
Total Land in Farms, Acres	21,453
Average Farm Size, Acres	84
Harvested Cropland, Acres	6,913
Average Age of Farmers	59.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$123,261,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$15,160,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$83,901



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	4,850	2.90	14,000	40
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,500	49
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,600	49
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			22,977,561	51
Crops			9,772,295	77
Government Payments			314,715	54
Total			33,064,571	69

CHOWAN COUNTY

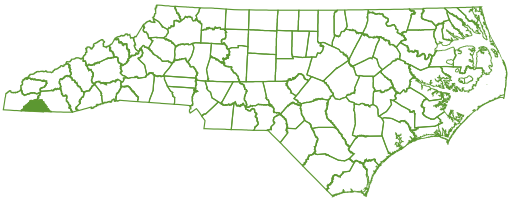
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	110,460
Number of Farms	141
Total Land in Farms, Acres	58,146
Average Farm Size, Acres	412
Harvested Cropland, Acres	46,299
Average Age of Farmers	55.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$184,290,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$48,437,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$363,385



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,700	144	678,000	46
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,830	1,120	20,600	13
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	4,900	4,898	24,000,000	8
Soybeans: Bu.	14,800	44	656,000	38
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	3,410	63	214,000	31
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			2,700,000	44
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	77
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			4,800	45
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			13,308,148	65
Crops			35,195,791	38
Government Payments			2,317,114	25
Total			50,821,053	59

CLAY COUNTY

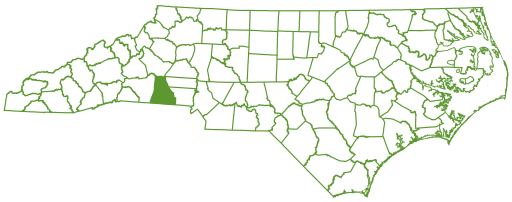
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	137,425
Number of Farms	154
Total Land in Farms, Acres	11,752
Average Farm Size, Acres	76
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,022
Average Age of Farmers	58.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$58,637,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$5,985,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,600	2.15	5,600	65
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,600	70
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			900,480	91
Crops			2,280,862	96
Government Payments			197,045	68
Total			3,378,387	97

CLEVELAND COUNTY

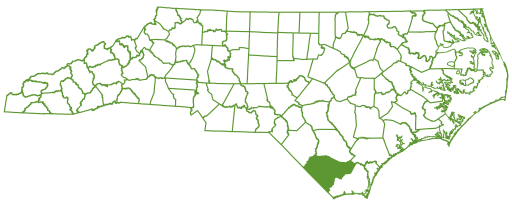
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	297,120
Number of Farms	1,036
Total Land in Farms, Acres	116,651
Average Farm Size, Acres	113
Harvested Cropland, Acres	40,852
Average Age of Farmers	59.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$480,113,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$60,468,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$106,609



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,390	138	469,000	51
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	13,300	2.10	27,900	18
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	16,400	40	656,000	38
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	8,780	56	493,000	11
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			23,000,000	15
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			19,500	10
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,200	9
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	20
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			200	69
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			385,000	14
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			120,283,550	20
Crops			16,264,838	63
Government Payments			1,079,020	39
Total			137,627,408	29

COLUMBUS COUNTY

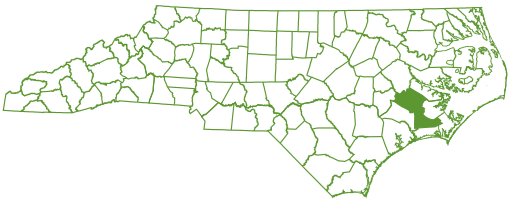
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	599,880
Number of Farms	731
Total Land in Farms, Acres	159,227
Average Farm Size, Acres	218
Harvested Cropland, Acres	107,970
Average Age of Farmers	58
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$482,755,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$96,510,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$222,133



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	35,000	134	4,686,000	6
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	3,900	2.60	10,100	53
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	52,800	33	1,733,000	14
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			3,100,000	42
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,600	34
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			235,000	11
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,500	51
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			79,833,608	29
Crops			65,332,384	17
Government Payments			5,426,935	10
Total			150,592,927	26

CRAVEN COUNTY

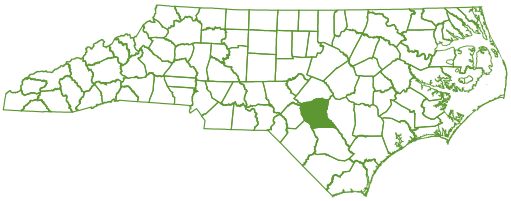
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	453,695
Number of Farms	256
Total Land in Farms, Acres	70,632
Average Farm Size, Acres	276
Harvested Cropland, Acres	49,222
Average Age of Farmers	60.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$218,543,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$38,414,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$183,665



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	18,800	146	2,735,000	16
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	1,500	3.05	4,610	71
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	23,900	38	910,000	28
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,000	83
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	75
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			72,000	20
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			20,603,795	54
Crops			33,178,437	40
Government Payments			1,884,865	28
Total			55,667,097	56

CUMBERLAND COUNTY

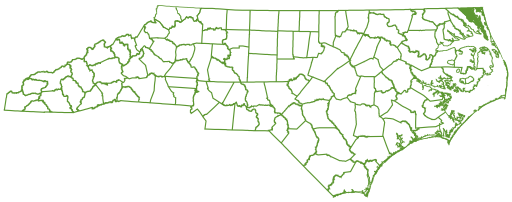
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	417,211
Number of Farms	389
Total Land in Farms, Acres	82,317
Average Farm Size, Acres	212
Harvested Cropland, Acres	43,649
Average Age of Farmers	59.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$256,910,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$46,353,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$217,263



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,180	138	1,270,000	34
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	5,030	805	8,440	27
Hay, Other: Tons	4,600	2.50	11,500	50
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	19,800	32	628,000	40
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,300	2,115	6,980,000	17
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			2,200,000	47
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,800	57
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,000	54
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			100,000	16
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			620,000	10
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			52,058,724	37
Crops			39,236,484	33
Government Payments			1,417,839	35
Total			92,713,047	40

CURRITUCK COUNTY

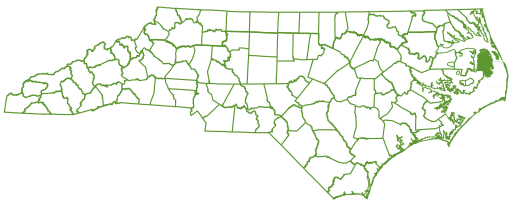
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	167,608
Number of Farms	82
Total Land in Farms, Acres	35,356
Average Farm Size, Acres	431
Harvested Cropland, Acres	31,292
Average Age of Farmers	56.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$144,521,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$20,028,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$223,466



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,300	162	1,664,000	24
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	18,000	38	683,000	36
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	4,380	50	220,000	30
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			200	95
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			106,727	99
Crops			14,696,064	65
Government Payments			1,356,351	36
Total			16,159,142	85

DARE COUNTY

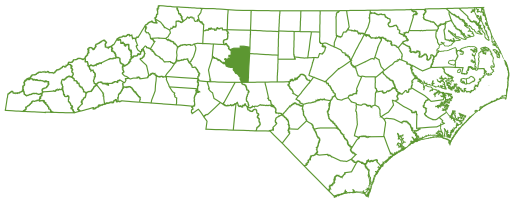
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	245,424
Number of Farms	9
Total Land in Farms, Acres	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*
Average Age of Farmers	54
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$13,980,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$1,432,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$130,731



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			52,366	100
Crops			1,088,001	98
Government Payments			217,521	64
Total			1,357,888	99

DAVIDSON COUNTY

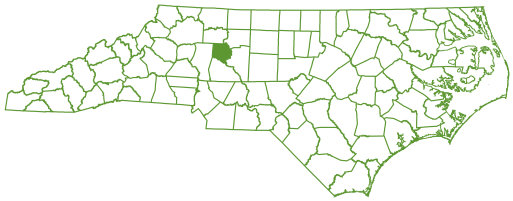
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	353,417
Number of Farms	1,062
Total Land in Farms, Acres	87,310
Average Farm Size, Acres	82
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,640
Average Age of Farmers	58.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$535,905,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$60,081,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$43,889



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,270	122	643,000	47
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	2.20	34,200	9
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	11,100	36	395,000	47
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	450	1,700	765,000	46
Wheat: Bu.	1,330	56	73,900	59
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			6,200,000	33
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,000	25
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,500	24
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	8
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	24
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			40,896,697	42
Crops			18,167,724	58
Government Payments			260,651	56
Total			59,325,072	52

DAVIE COUNTY

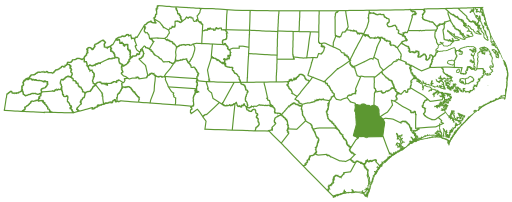
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	168,993
Number of Farms	640
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,618
Average Farm Size, Acres	93
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,615
Average Age of Farmers	59.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$368,302,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$32,290,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$39,608



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,950	143	707,000	44
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	9,300	2.05	19,100	32
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	9,150	42	383,000	50
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	2,600	57	148,000	43
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,000	29
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,300	25
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			500	22
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	24
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			13,697,097	62
Crops			9,216,952	80
Government Payments			347,644	53
Total			23,261,693	80

DUPLIN COUNTY

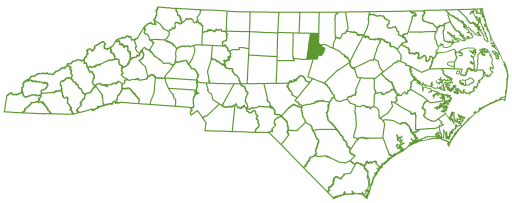
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	521,886
Number of Farms	940
Total Land in Farms, Acres	230,925
Average Farm Size, Acres	246
Harvested Cropland, Acres	147,210
Average Age of Farmers	56.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$941,234,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$149,976,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$1,028,981



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	41,800	127	5,299,000	4
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	5,040	1,038	10,900	23
Hay, Other: Tons	23,500	3.40	80,000	1
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	52,800	36	1,887,000	10
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	3,400	230	790,000	9
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,840	1,605	4,560,000	26
Wheat: Bu.	11,600	44	514,000	10
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			69,800,000	1
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			22,000	9
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			13,800	5
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	32
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,000,000	1
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			460,000	9
Turkeys Raised (2017)			5,000,000	2
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			957,081,658	1
Crops			99,989,298	7
Government Payments			6,048,734	7
Total			1,063,119,690	2

DURHAM COUNTY

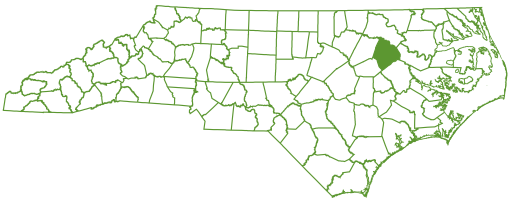
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	183,022
Number of Farms	232
Total Land in Farms, Acres	20,854
Average Farm Size, Acres	90
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,976
Average Age of Farmers	60.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$178,892,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$11,683,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$48,607



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,500	1.75	4,400	74
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,100	63
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,000	67
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	32
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,500	51
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			2,240,718	86
Crops			7,095,337	86
Government Payments			21,010	99
Total			9,357,065	92

EDGECOMBE COUNTY

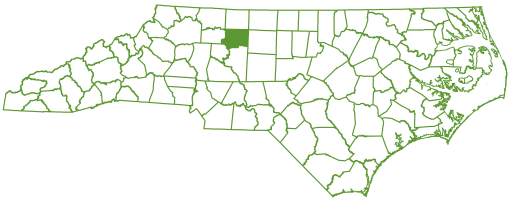
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	323,276
Number of Farms	272
Total Land in Farms, Acres	126,635
Average Farm Size, Acres	466
Harvested Cropland, Acres	87,060
Average Age of Farmers	60.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$333,500,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$72,418,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$464,706



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	14,400	122	1,757,000	23
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	16,100	972	32,600	5
Hay, Other: Tons	1,850	3.40	6,300	61
Peanuts: Lbs.	7,000	4,326	30,280,000	5
Soybeans: Bu.	48,400	40	1,917,000	9
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	8,470	210	1,796,000	5
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,370	2,270	14,470,000	9
Wheat: Bu.	9,240	51	474,000	12
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			6,950,000	31
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,000	65
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	60
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	14
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			60,654,441	34
Crops			91,531,784	8
Government Payments			7,418,329	4
Total			159,604,554	24

FORSYTH COUNTY

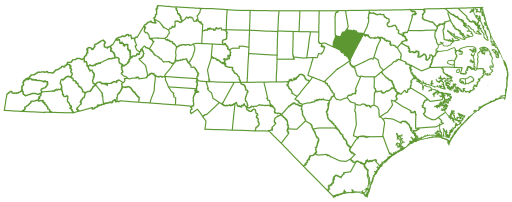
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	261,220
Number of Farms	662
Total Land in Farms, Acres	40,467
Average Farm Size, Acres	61
Harvested Cropland, Acres	17,219
Average Age of Farmers	61.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$336,233,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$30,803,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$32,242



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	7,800	1.90	14,900	39
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,700	53
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,400	50
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,800	50
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			3,692,969	83
Crops			9,464,426	78
Government Payments			415,802	50
Total			13,573,197	87

FRANKLIN COUNTY

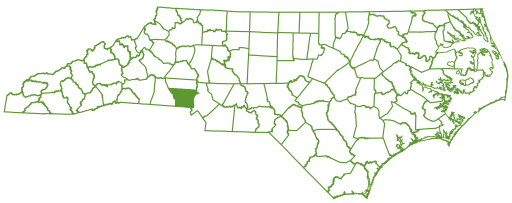
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	314,701
Number of Farms	542
Total Land in Farms, Acres	116,889
Average Farm Size, Acres	216
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,291
Average Age of Farmers	58.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$499,189,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$59,067,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$128,671



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	13,400	1.75	23,300	25
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	17,300	33	574,000	42
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	4,410	2,420	10,670,000	13
Wheat: Bu.	4,750	49	232,000	29
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			1,750,000	50
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			15,500	16
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			6,100	20
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			29,000	33
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			24,528,306	49
Crops			49,141,048	26
Government Payments			445,113	49
Total			74,114,467	46

GASTON COUNTY

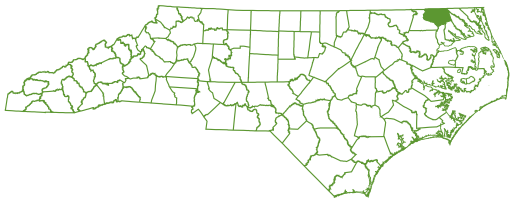
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	227,856
Number of Farms	520
Total Land in Farms, Acres	41,923
Average Farm Size, Acres	81
Harvested Cropland, Acres	12,302
Average Age of Farmers	60.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$254,148,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$21,414,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$33,581



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	7,900	1.95	15,400	38
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	3,480	43	150,000	62
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	1,480	54	80,400	56
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			2,250,000	46
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,400	40
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,200	45
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	18
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			400	60
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			19,500	43
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			16,457,675	59
Crops			4,806,149	91
Government Payments			160,764	76
Total			21,424,588	81

GATES COUNTY

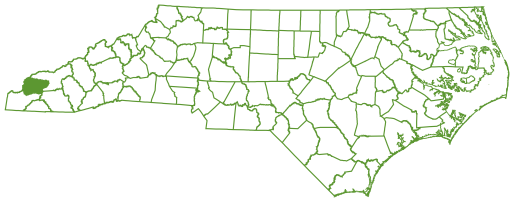
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	217,884
Number of Farms	182
Total Land in Farms, Acres	63,291
Average Farm Size, Acres	348
Harvested Cropland, Acres	44,032
Average Age of Farmers	58.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$220,266,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$27,831,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$289,969



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,800	142	680,000	45
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,210	1,029	17,600	17
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	3,550	4,873	17,300,000	13
Soybeans: Bu.	24,000	45	1,076,000	24
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			8,200,000	29
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			800	86
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			400	88
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			23,000	35
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			41,914,915	41
Crops			21,844,212	51
Government Payments			4,304,528	13
Total			68,063,655	48

GRAHAM COUNTY

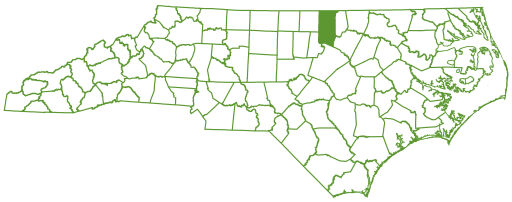
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	186,915
Number of Farms	107
Total Land in Farms, Acres	6,837
Average Farm Size, Acres	64
Harvested Cropland, Acres	1,134
Average Age of Farmers	60.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$41,199,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$5,968,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	900	2.00	1,800	82
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			900	84
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			2,926,860	84
Crops			690,501	99
Government Payments			46,674	90
Total			3,664,035	96

GRANVILLE COUNTY

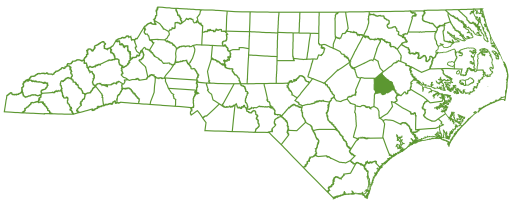
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	339,838
Number of Farms	589
Total Land in Farms, Acres	100,822
Average Farm Size, Acres	171
Harvested Cropland, Acres	19,690
Average Age of Farmers	61.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$414,169,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$29,559,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$42,124



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,310	103	135,000	70
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	11,400	1.75	20,100	31
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	4,110	28	114,000	69
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,010	2,175	6,550,000	20
Wheat: Bu.	3,310	51	168,000	37
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,100	43
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,600	43
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			500	22
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,000	54
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,400	61
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			5,099,113	80
Crops			19,088,735	53
Government Payments			119,677	78
Total			24,307,525	78

GREENE COUNTY

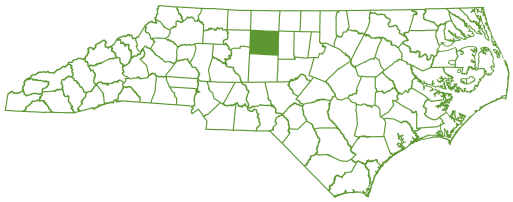
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	170,201
Number of Farms	260
Total Land in Farms, Acres	101,189
Average Farm Size, Acres	389
Harvested Cropland, Acres	66,845
Average Age of Farmers	58.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$394,626,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$43,506,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$722,186



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	6,450	900	12,100	22
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	4,050	3,889	15,750,000	14
Soybeans: Bu.	32,200	39	1,269,000	21
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	7,780	2,190	17,020,000	6
Wheat: Bu.	4,500	55	247,000	26
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			3,300,000	40
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	73
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,000	67
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			340,000	6
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			1,800,000	7
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			146,146,390	14
Crops			90,737,452	10
Government Payments			2,733,627	23
Total			239,617,469	9

GUILFORD COUNTY

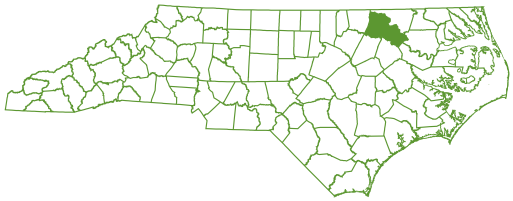
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	413,565
Number of Farms	962
Total Land in Farms, Acres	90,750
Average Farm Size, Acres	94
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,234
Average Age of Farmers	60.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$561,274,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$61,566,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$57,020



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,740	130	355,000	55
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	14,100	2.05	28,800	16
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	10,300	39	401,000	46
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,030	1,805	3,660,000	31
Wheat: Bu.	2,600	54	140,000	47
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,000	19
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,600	23
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	4
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			4,000	47
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			355,000	11
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			27,393,503	46
Crops			28,134,081	44
Government Payments			200,370	67
Total			55,727,954	55

HALIFAX COUNTY

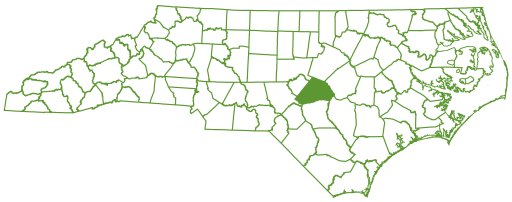
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	463,414
Number of Farms	341
Total Land in Farms, Acres	195,896
Average Farm Size, Acres	574
Harvested Cropland, Acres	113,130
Average Age of Farmers	59.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$464,442,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$73,873,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$314,730



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,130	112	795,000	41
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	44,600	884	82,100	2
Hay, Other: Tons	2,200	2.60	5,700	64
Peanuts: Lbs.	8,400	4,135	34,730,000	3
Soybeans: Bu.	35,300	42	1,484,000	18
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,380	2,350	7,940,000	15
Wheat: Bu.	3,000	52	156,000	41
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,000	29
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			52,000	25
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			23,092,271	50
Crops			67,393,945	16
Government Payments			8,029,719	1
Total			98,515,935	37

HARNETT COUNTY

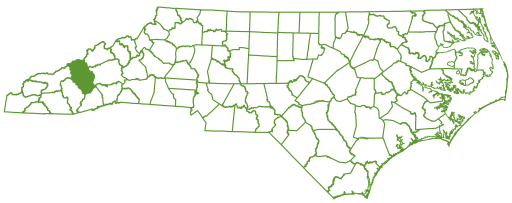
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	380,757
Number of Farms	797
Total Land in Farms, Acres	119,775
Average Farm Size, Acres	150
Harvested Cropland, Acres	71,179
Average Age of Farmers	58.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$640,679,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$75,911,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$200,882



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,810	131	629,000	48
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	5,890	659	8,090	29
Hay, Other: Tons	7,100	3.10	21,900	27
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	28,700	32	916,000	26
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	7,140	2,200	15,700,000	7
Wheat: Bu.	5,700	58	332,000	20
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			25,600,000	13
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,000	44
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,100	36
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			70,000	21
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,600	58
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			134,141,602	16
Crops			62,000,107	20
Government Payments			1,837,168	30
Total			197,978,877	13

HAYWOOD COUNTY

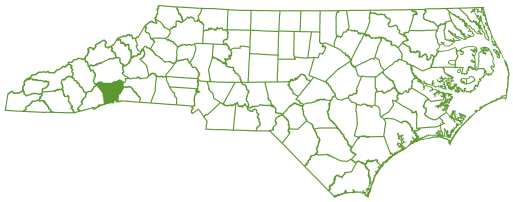
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	354,344
Number of Farms	597
Total Land in Farms, Acres	48,975
Average Farm Size, Acres	82
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,976
Average Age of Farmers	60.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$310,193,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$23,558,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$24,565



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	5,900	2.70	15,900	37
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,000	29
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,900	27
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	13
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,600	58
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			9,777,074	69
Crops			7,155,103	85
Government Payments			511,738	47
Total			17,443,915	84

HENDERSON COUNTY

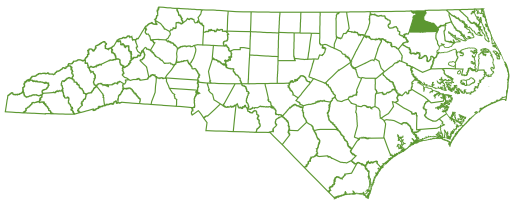
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	238,691
Number of Farms	468
Total Land in Farms, Acres	35,752
Average Farm Size, Acres	76
Harvested Cropland, Acres	16,365
Average Age of Farmers	58.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$279,110,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$31,758,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$119,779



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	5,100	2.45	12,500	46
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			1,400	67
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,100	47
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	58
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	4
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,900	55
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			8,401,025	73
Crops			64,993,213	18
Government Payments			519,602	46
Total			73,913,840	47

HERTFORD COUNTY

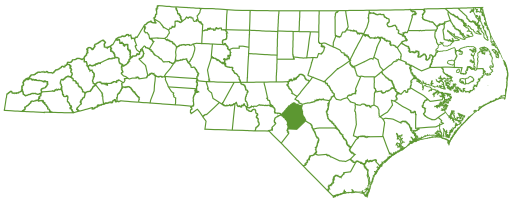
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	226,028
Number of Farms	162
Total Land in Farms, Acres	83,042
Average Farm Size, Acres	513
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,398
Average Age of Farmers	56.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$198,711,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$37,543,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$736,447



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,900	147	1,304,000	33
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	10,900	1,154	26,200	6
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	4,850	4,915	23,840,000	9
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			10,900,000	23
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			300	91
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			200	91
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			59,610,093	36
Crops			38,363,606	35
Government Payments			3,811,458	16
Total			101,785,157	36

HOKE COUNTY

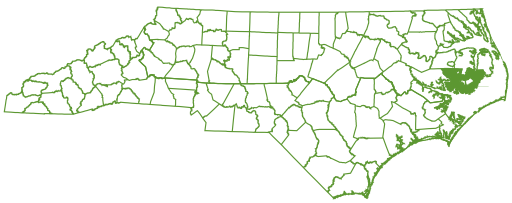
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	250,076
Number of Farms	202
Total Land in Farms, Acres	58,588
Average Farm Size, Acres	290
Harvested Cropland, Acres	34,804
Average Age of Farmers	59.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$187,689,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$22,849,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$386,063



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,600	2.25	5,900	63
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			5,500,000	34
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	77
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			75,000	19
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			205,000	18
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			49,959,746	40
Crops			11,144,983	75
Government Payments			675,398	44
Total			61,780,127	50

HYDE COUNTY

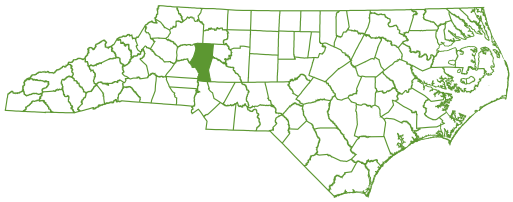
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	392,146
Number of Farms	158
Total Land in Farms, Acres	107,559
Average Farm Size, Acres	681
Harvested Cropland, Acres	73,635
Average Age of Farmers	60.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$264,567,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$52,760,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$652,577



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	33,700	168	5,663,000	3
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,600	1,239	22,200	11
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	35,500	52	1,848,000	12
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	4,980	66	329,000	21
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			103,610,735	26
Crops			61,774,122	21
Government Payments			3,323,385	19
Total			168,708,242	22

IREDELL COUNTY

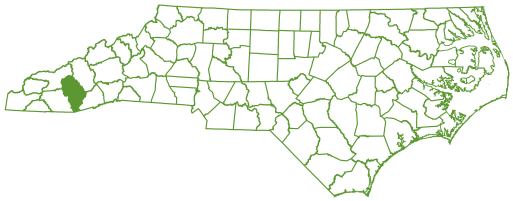
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	367,488
Number of Farms	1,203
Total Land in Farms, Acres	152,385
Average Farm Size, Acres	127
Harvested Cropland, Acres	70,383
Average Age of Farmers	59.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$916,502,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$89,154,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$118,328



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	24,600	2.05	50,600	4
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	6,400	57	365,000	19
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			1,950,000	49
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			48,000	1
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			13,000	6
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			13,000	1
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,150,000	3
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			114,910,637	23
Crops			28,658,387	43
Government Payments			1,344,132	37
Total			144,913,156	27

JACKSON COUNTY

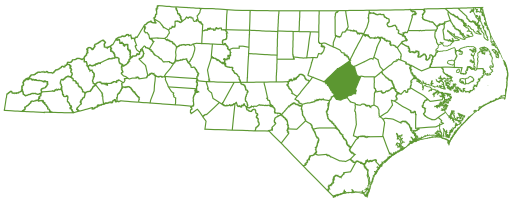
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	314,055
Number of Farms	245
Total Land in Farms, Acres	16,201
Average Farm Size, Acres	66
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,813
Average Age of Farmers	60.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$156,436,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$12,543,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$36,363



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,400	2.50	6,000	62
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			3,100	62
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,600	70
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,300	63
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			787,351	93
Crops			9,062,870	82
Government Payments			69,814	83
Total			9,920,035	91

JOHNSTON COUNTY

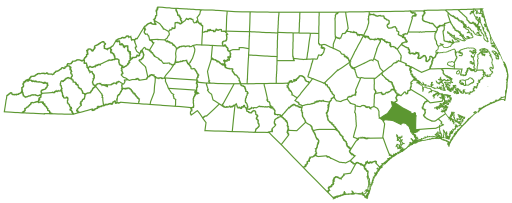
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	506,377
Number of Farms	1,175
Total Land in Farms, Acres	194,827
Average Farm Size, Acres	166
Harvested Cropland, Acres	117,805
Average Age of Farmers	57.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$951,263,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$123,451,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$182,376



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,500	133	1,126,000	36
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	4,970	860	8,900	25
Hay, Other: Tons	9,600	2.85	27,500	19
Peanuts: Lbs.	1,850	3,757	6,950,000	20
Soybeans: Bu.	54,400	34	1,862,000	11
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	10,800	195	2,115,000	4
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,300	2,340	21,750,000	3
Wheat: Bu.	5,200	48	251,000	25
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			9,450,000	27
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,500	22
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			190,000	12
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			30,000	40
Turkeys Raised (2017)			350,000	15
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			107,585,921	25
Crops			140,311,551	4
Government Payments			3,683,069	17
Total			251,580,541	8

JONES COUNTY

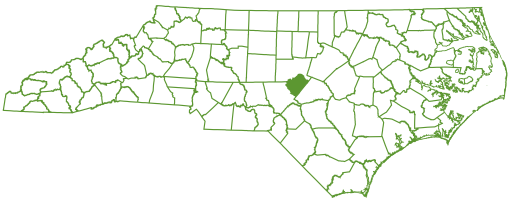
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	301,576
Number of Farms	170
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,367
Average Farm Size, Acres	349
Harvested Cropland, Acres	41,097
Average Age of Farmers	55.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$158,370,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$32,159,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$889,200



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	15,100	152	2,301,000	19
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,900	904	24,300	8
Hay, Other: Tons	1,650	3.25	5,400	66
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,610	1,725	4,500,000	27
Wheat: Bu.	3,500	57	201,000	32
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			3,000,000	43
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	81
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	81
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			295,000	7
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			275,000	16
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			96,718,873	27
Crops			33,384,665	39
Government Payments			2,230,727	26
Total			132,334,265	30

LEE COUNTY

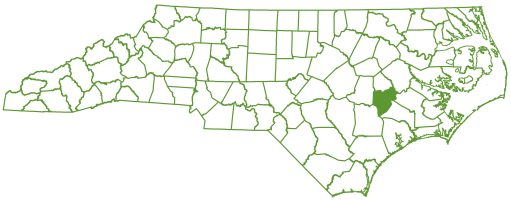
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	163,168
Number of Farms	246
Total Land in Farms, Acres	39,081
Average Farm Size, Acres	159
Harvested Cropland, Acres	13,450
Average Age of Farmers	60.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$163,342,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$17,619,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$134,988



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,700	2.00	5,400	66
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,360	2,175	5,130,000	24
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			4,050,000	39
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,800	51
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,600	57
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			22,318,208	53
Crops			14,344,576	68
Government Payments			168,791	75
Total			36,831,575	64

LENOIR COUNTY

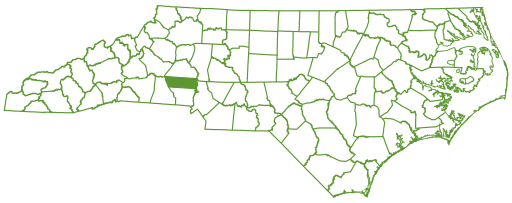
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	255,858
Number of Farms	401
Total Land in Farms, Acres	122,104
Average Farm Size, Acres	304
Harvested Cropland, Acres	90,783
Average Age of Farmers	57.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$412,079,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$73,442,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$590,081



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,500	132	3,112,000	12
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	7,800	862	14,000	19
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	37,600	40	1,496,000	17
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	2,750	240	659,000	10
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,150	2,070	12,740,000	10
Wheat: Bu.	4,970	54	270,000	24
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			2,100,000	48
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,200	62
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	58
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			275,000	9
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			120,000	22
Turkeys Raised (2017)			1,550,000	8
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			120,871,472	19
Crops			68,419,286	15
Government Payments			1,879,603	29
Total			191,170,361	16

LINCOLN COUNTY

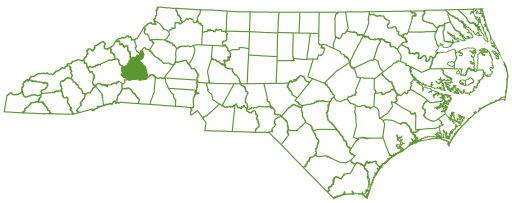
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	190,683
Number of Farms	651
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,570
Average Farm Size, Acres	85
Harvested Cropland, Acres	23,149
Average Age of Farmers	58.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$309,596,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$35,835,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$79,308



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,210	124	149,500	65
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	12,100	2.80	33,900	10
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	6,070	42	254,000	56
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	2,240	56	125,000	52
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			8,000,000	30
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,500	17
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,200	35
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,800	3
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			400	60
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			3,400	47
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			51,857,814	38
Crops			7,218,976	84
Government Payments			249,481	59
Total			59,326,271	51

MCDOWELL COUNTY

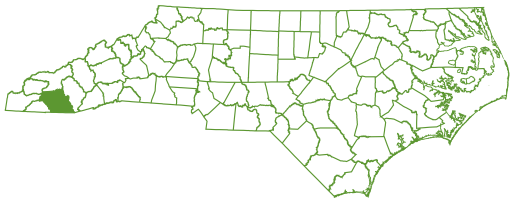
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	282,219
Number of Farms	334
Total Land in Farms, Acres	24,903
Average Farm Size, Acres	75
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,828
Average Age of Farmers	58.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$143,678,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$19,748,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$73,150



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,500	1.80	4,530	73
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			1,000,000	52
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,400	60
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			81,000	28
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			9,154,729	71
Crops			18,525,766	54
Government Payments			56,379	86
Total			27,736,874	74

MACON COUNTY

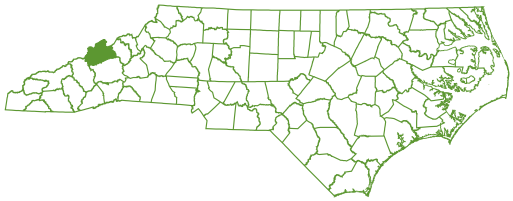
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	329,964
Number of Farms	326
Total Land in Farms, Acres	22,684
Average Farm Size, Acres	70
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,501
Average Age of Farmers	60.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$173,104,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$15,765,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	4,350	2.10	9,100	54
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,700	58
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,800	56
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,200	65
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			8,502,199	72
Crops			2,283,492	95
Government Payments			182,492	71
Total			10,968,183	89

MADISON COUNTY

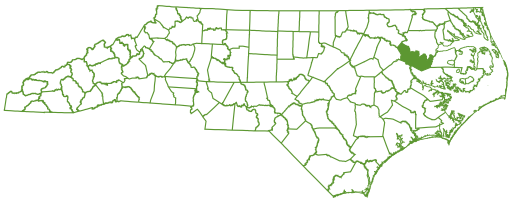
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	287,629
Number of Farms	719
Total Land in Farms, Acres	56,282
Average Farm Size, Acres	78
Harvested Cropland, Acres	6,591
Average Age of Farmers	59.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$304,728,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$22,619,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,900	45
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,800	42
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			4,000	46
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			2,623,974	85
Crops			4,259,050	93
Government Payments			232,604	61
Total			7,115,628	93

MARTIN COUNTY

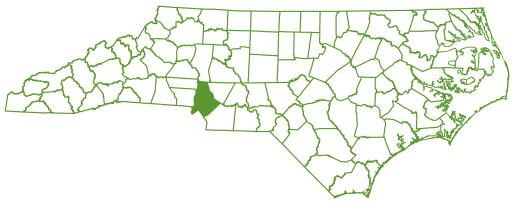
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	295,152
Number of Farms	357
Total Land in Farms, Acres	127,187
Average Farm Size, Acres	356
Harvested Cropland, Acres	86,458
Average Age of Farmers	59.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$358,523,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$68,764,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$228,946



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,850	127	740,000	43
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	27,700	991	57,200	3
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	9,200	4,516	41,550,000	1
Soybeans: Bu.	22,600	40	912,000	27
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	390	225	87,800	20
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	4,720	2,490	11,750,000	12
Wheat: Bu.	2,900	49	142,000	46
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			2,700,000	44
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			800	86
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	81
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			17,888,273	58
Crops			59,692,763	23
Government Payments			7,496,719	3
Total			85,077,755	42

MECKLENBURG COUNTY

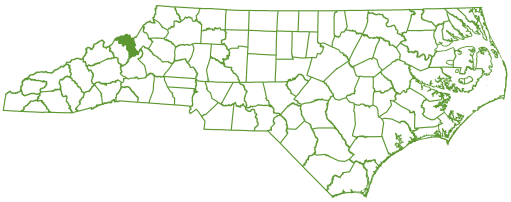
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	335,216
Number of Farms	237
Total Land in Farms, Acres	15,439
Average Farm Size, Acres	65
Harvested Cropland, Acres	5,332
Average Age of Farmers	60.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$317,905,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$32,312,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,500	1.95	4,900	69
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	430	58	25,000	72
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,000	65
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			3,873,561	82
Crops			170,761,928	2
Government Payments			24,621	97
Total			174,660,110	20

MITCHELL COUNTY

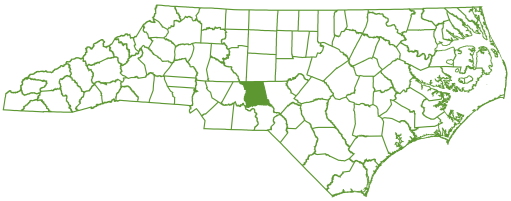
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	141,718
Number of Farms	286
Total Land in Farms, Acres	19,322
Average Farm Size, Acres	68
Harvested Cropland, Acres	3,227
Average Age of Farmers	59.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$101,848,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$9,966,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	1,800	1.70	3,100	79
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	73
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			900	71
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			620,453	96
Crops			2,142,095	97
Government Payments			1,063	100
Total			2,763,611	98

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

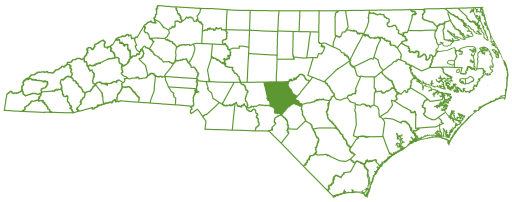
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	314,730
Number of Farms	250
Total Land in Farms, Acres	35,047
Average Farm Size, Acres	140
Harvested Cropland, Acres	8,597
Average Age of Farmers	57.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$143,662,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$23,854,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$397,564



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	3,300	2.60	8,600	55
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			24,600,000	14
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,100	47
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,000	47
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			18,000	38
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			114,727,687	24
Crops			8,291,283	83
Government Payments			28,233	95
Total			123,047,204	33

MOORE COUNTY

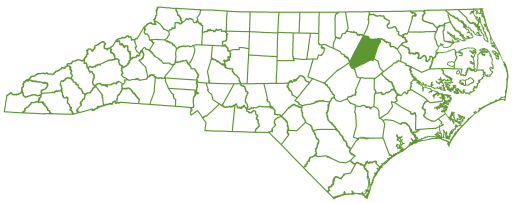
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	446,491
Number of Farms	718
Total Land in Farms, Acres	82,462
Average Farm Size, Acres	115
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,161
Average Age of Farmers	58.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$439,071,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$41,702,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$196,031



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	7,800	2.60	20,400	30
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	4,840	24	115,000	68
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	1,490	50	74,900	58
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			27,000,000	12
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			11,500	27
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			6,100	20
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			32,000	39
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			138,631,698	15
Crops			16,720,789	62
Government Payments			64,712	84
Total			155,417,200	25

NASH COUNTY

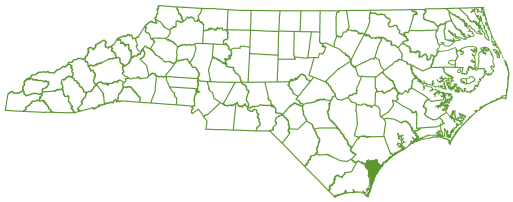
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	345,751
Number of Farms	430
Total Land in Farms, Acres	140,620
Average Farm Size, Acres	327
Harvested Cropland, Acres	84,803
Average Age of Farmers	59.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$535,997,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$66,078,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$350,288



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	30,100	37	1,099,000	23
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	9,670	225	2,173,000	3
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	8,420	2,455	20,670,000	4
Wheat: Bu.	2,610	55	143,000	45
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			11,300,000	21
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,500	39
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,100	36
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			55,000	24
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			355,000	11
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			76,459,664	31
Crops			110,628,951	5
Government Payments			3,012,028	20
Total			190,100,643	18

NEW HANOVER COUNTY

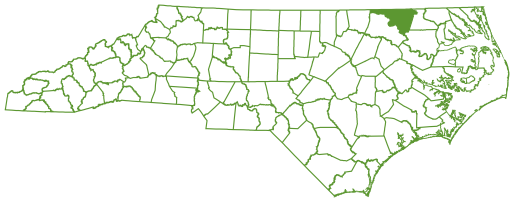
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	122,569
Number of Farms	50
Total Land in Farms, Acres	2,881
Average Farm Size, Acres	58
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$40,999,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$2,149,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			228,929	98
Crops			5,815,619	89
Government Payments			38,891	92
Total			6,083,439	95

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

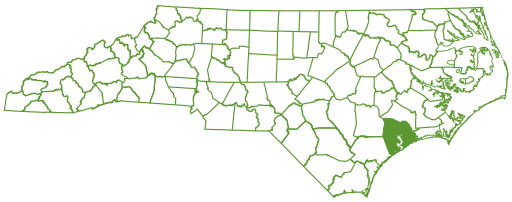
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	343,409
Number of Farms	319
Total Land in Farms, Acres	162,758
Average Farm Size, Acres	510
Harvested Cropland, Acres	104,567
Average Age of Farmers	59.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$426,082,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$69,712,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$339,557



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,300	132	1,360,000	31
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	38,800	1,065	86,100	1
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	5,250	4,310	22,630,000	10
Soybeans: Bu.	32,800	42	1,379,000	20
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	7,250	64	465,000	14
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			9,650,000	26
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			900	84
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	81
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			110,000	14
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			70,543,088	32
Crops			49,737,754	25
Government Payments			6,095,228	6
Total			126,376,071	32

ONSLOW COUNTY

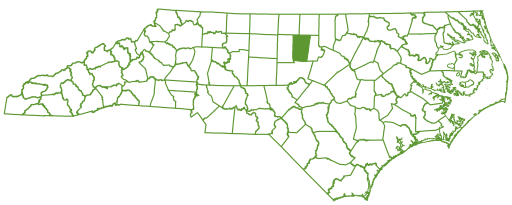
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	489,752
Number of Farms	347
Total Land in Farms, Acres	57,643
Average Farm Size, Acres	166
Harvested Cropland, Acres	36,671
Average Age of Farmers	58.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$220,119,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$40,122,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$352,492



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,800	139	1,501,000	26
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,450	2.80	6,900	57
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			5,350,000	36
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,800	67
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	66
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			190,000	12
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			1,900,000	6
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			117,081,212	22
Crops			25,744,051	45
Government Payments			975,838	40
Total			143,801,101	28

ORANGE COUNTY

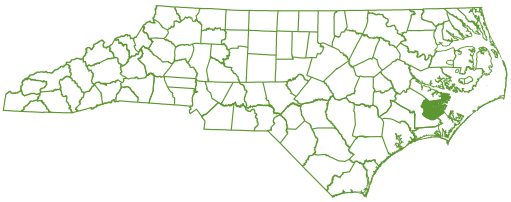
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	254,461
Number of Farms	645
Total Land in Farms, Acres	56,666
Average Farm Size, Acres	88
Harvested Cropland, Acres	17,854
Average Age of Farmers	58.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$379,250,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$34,665,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$49,052



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,150	144	310,000	56
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	12,400	2.25	28,200	17
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	3,780	38	144,000	63
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	810	1,965	1,590,000	41
Wheat: Bu.	760	59	44,900	65
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			14,500	58
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,000	29
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,900	27
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	18
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			4,500	46
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			165,000	18
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			19,119,497	56
Crops			17,328,453	61
Government Payments			80,662	82
Total			36,528,612	65

PAMLICO COUNTY

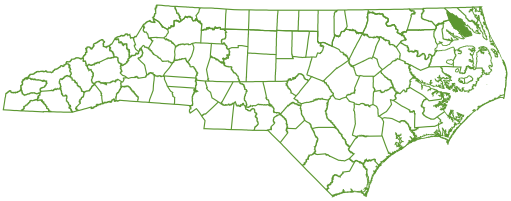
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	215,643
Number of Farms	80
Total Land in Farms, Acres	46,785
Average Farm Size, Acres	585
Harvested Cropland, Acres	39,130
Average Age of Farmers	58.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$134,597,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$26,781,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$304,228



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	15,500	168	2,600,000	17
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	18,100	47	844,000	29
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	97
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			697,685	95
Crops			24,817,906	47
Government Payments			1,725,449	31
Total			27,241,040	75

PASQUOTANK COUNTY

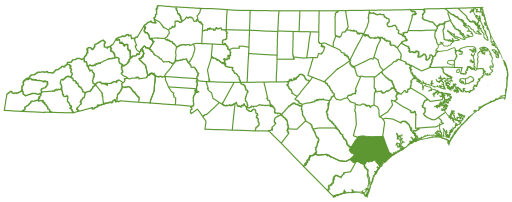
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	145,203
Number of Farms	136
Total Land in Farms, Acres	72,270
Average Farm Size, Acres	531
Harvested Cropland, Acres	67,411
Average Age of Farmers	58.8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$228,330,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$41,780,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$335,397



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	16,600	177	2,939,000	14
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	52,300	49	2,534,000	5
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	6,880	65	444,000	16
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			300	91
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			398,248	97
Crops			64,273,158	19
Government Payments			1,515,963	32
Total			66,187,369	49

PENDER COUNTY

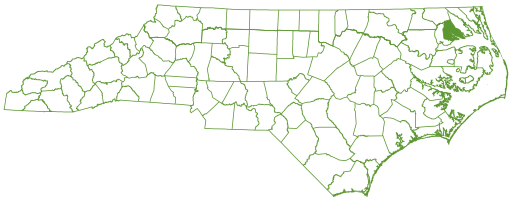
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	556,656
Number of Farms	335
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,775
Average Farm Size, Acres	166
Harvested Cropland, Acres	27,611
Average Age of Farmers	57.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$235,872,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$31,248,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$401,761



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	1,650	2.50	4,130	75
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			9,800,000	25
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,100	63
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			280,000	8
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			155,000	21
Turkeys Raised (2017)			485,000	12
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			132,542,961	17
Crops			38,828,037	34
Government Payments			1,317,984	38
Total			172,688,982	21

PERQUIMANS COUNTY

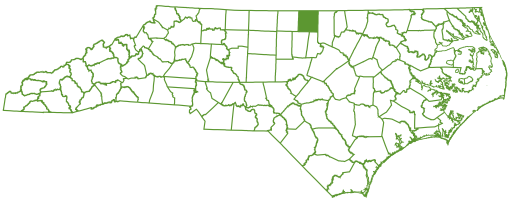
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	158,159
Number of Farms	185
Total Land in Farms, Acres	80,116
Average Farm Size, Acres	433
Harvested Cropland, Acres	71,724
Average Age of Farmers	54.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$259,957,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$54,768,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$423,429



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,290	1,146	19,800	15
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	44,500	45	2,000,000	8
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	14,500	70	1,014,000	2
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			11,000,000	22
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	89
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			500	85
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			50,231,859	39
Crops			39,721,059	31
Government Payments			2,840,431	21
Total			92,793,349	39

PERSON COUNTY

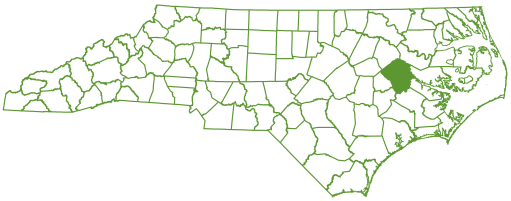
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	251,069
Number of Farms	395
Total Land in Farms, Acres	95,299
Average Farm Size, Acres	241
Harvested Cropland, Acres	37,524
Average Age of Farmers	58
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$361,869,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$42,144,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$88,784



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,000	123	246,000	60
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	8,500	1.60	13,800	43
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	12,400	31	386,000	49
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	5,160	2,330	12,030,000	11
Wheat: Bu.	7,040	45	317,000	23
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,600	38
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			3,500	48
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			5,176,123	79
Crops			30,950,738	41
Government Payments			205,726	65
Total			36,332,587	66

PITT COUNTY

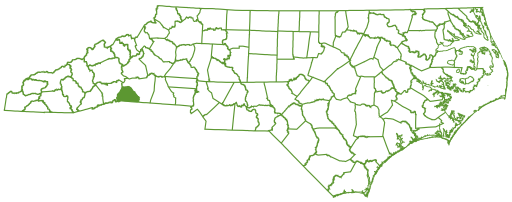
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	417,012
Number of Farms	391
Total Land in Farms, Acres	171,821
Average Farm Size, Acres	439
Harvested Cropland, Acres	129,519
Average Age of Farmers	56.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$546,508,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$91,199,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$429,781



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	24,200	132	3,189,000	11
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,970	876	18,200	16
Hay, Other: Tons	2,300	2.05	4,670	70
Peanuts: Lbs.	8,350	3,988	33,300,000	4
Soybeans: Bu.	60,000	39	2,352,000	7
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	6,620	2,205	14,610,000	8
Wheat: Bu.	3,740	54	200,000	33
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			10,700,000	24
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,700	58
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			245,000	10
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			121,291,831	18
Crops			81,994,741	12
Government Payments			5,908,448	9
Total			209,195,020	12

POLK COUNTY

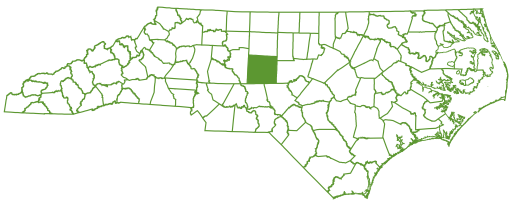
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	152,222
Number of Farms	290
Total Land in Farms, Acres	24,101
Average Farm Size, Acres	83
Harvested Cropland, Acres	5,829
Average Age of Farmers	60.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$176,700,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$14,415,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$39,576



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	4,300	1.55	6,600	59
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,200	55
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,300	63
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			4,673,132	81
Crops			5,696,173	90
Government Payments			120,545	77
Total			10,489,850	90

RANDOLPH COUNTY

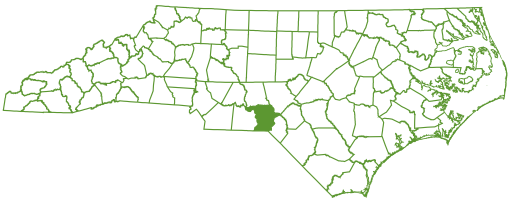
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	503,162
Number of Farms	1,486
Total Land in Farms, Acres	156,813
Average Farm Size, Acres	106
Harvested Cropland, Acres	51,750
Average Age of Farmers	57.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$751,423,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$94,146,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$136,161



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,880	120	464,000	52
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	22,000	2.30	51,000	3
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	8,910	37	330,000	53
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	3,470	54	186,000	36
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			37,100,000	6
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			44,500	2
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			17,000	1
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,500	2
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			23,000	35
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			540,000	8
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			217,883,830	8
Crops			17,449,433	60
Government Payments			178,454	73
Total			235,511,717	10

RICHMOND COUNTY

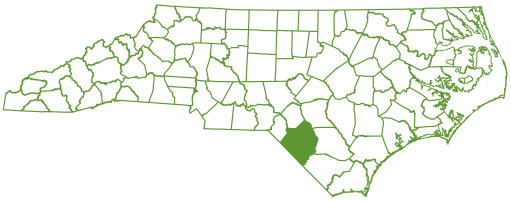
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	302,998
Number of Farms	277
Total Land in Farms, Acres	47,573
Average Farm Size, Acres	172
Harvested Cropland, Acres	15,843
Average Age of Farmers	58.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$195,932,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$20,208,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$484,254



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	4,300	3.25	14,000	40
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			36,400,000	7
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,800	67
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	63
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			61,000	22
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			115,000	23
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			176,693,725	11
Crops			6,865,975	87
Government Payments			182,731	70
Total			183,742,431	19

ROBESON COUNTY

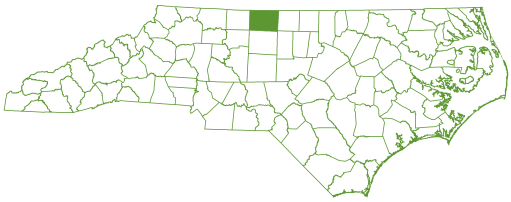
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	607,208
Number of Farms	941
Total Land in Farms, Acres	265,546
Average Farm Size, Acres	282
Harvested Cropland, Acres	191,674
Average Age of Farmers	57.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$779,859,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$128,871,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$345,658



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	60,100	132	7,960,000	1
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,700	986	26,100	7
Hay, Other: Tons	7,250	3.10	22,500	26
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	87,200	36	3,102,000	2
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	21,600	44	941,000	3
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			50,600,000	4
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,000	37
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			350,000	5
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,000	54
Turkeys Raised (2017)			210,000	17
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			317,881,241	4
Crops			91,483,410	9
Government Payments			6,432,894	5
Total			415,797,545	4

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

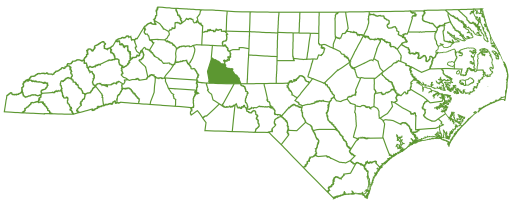
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	361,953
Number of Farms	902
Total Land in Farms, Acres	112,166
Average Farm Size, Acres	124
Harvested Cropland, Acres	28,293
Average Age of Farmers	58.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$453,751,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$45,305,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$36,163



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,130	126	142,500	67
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	1.90	29,500	15
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	4,990	43	213,000	59
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,510	1,965	6,890,000	18
Wheat: Bu.	3,160	47	148,000	43
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			10,000	29
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			3,000	49
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			7,549,513	75
Crops			21,867,522	50
Government Payments			224,918	63
Total			29,641,953	71

ROWAN COUNTY

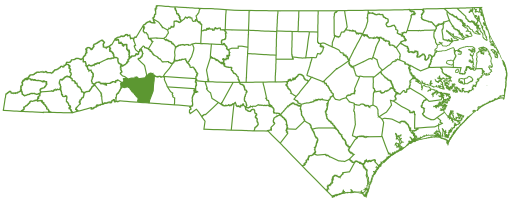
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	327,141
Number of Farms	1,011
Total Land in Farms, Acres	121,145
Average Farm Size, Acres	120
Harvested Cropland, Acres	62,532
Average Age of Farmers	58.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$685,438,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$80,280,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$72,672



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,250	145	1,194,000	35
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	16,900	1.90	32,000	12
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	17,800	39	699,000	33
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	7,000	64	447,000	15
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			4,550,000	38
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			18,500	14
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,200	11
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,400	8
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			60,000	32
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			37,339,382	44
Crops			38,340,054	36
Government Payments			767,375	43
Total			76,446,811	45

RUTHERFORD COUNTY

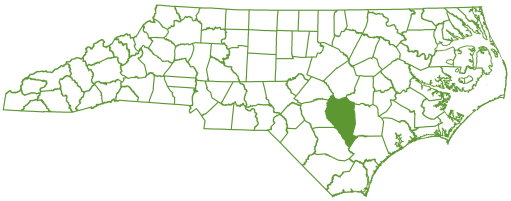
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	361,034
Number of Farms	638
Total Land in Farms, Acres	59,540
Average Farm Size, Acres	93
Harvested Cropland, Acres	12,043
Average Age of Farmers	59.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$240,223,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$22,552,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$35,128



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	11,100	1.60	17,800	35
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			4,900,000	37
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,400	40
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			2,300	53
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			25,032,992	48
Crops			3,269,862	94
Government Payments			408,505	51
Total			28,711,359	72

SAMPSON COUNTY

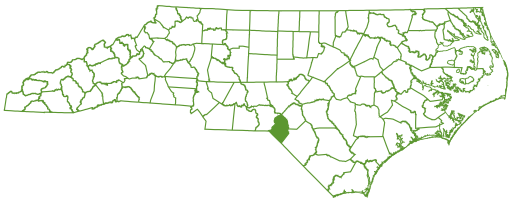
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	604,599
Number of Farms	1,067
Total Land in Farms, Acres	291,635
Average Farm Size, Acres	273
Harvested Cropland, Acres	169,549
Average Age of Farmers	56.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$1,159,273,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$198,552,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$880,628



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	31,000	133	4,118,000	7
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	13,600	833	23,600	9
Hay, Other: Tons	21,900	3.00	65,500	2
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	61,800	43	2,671,000	4
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	12,500	2,035	25,430,000	1
Wheat: Bu.	11,200	57	638,000	5
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			41,500,000	5
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			27,000	5
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,900,000	2
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			300,000	16
Turkeys Raised (2017)			8,200,000	1
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			883,866,596	2
Crops			228,167,325	1
Government Payments			5,950,844	8
Total			1,117,984,765	1

SCOTLAND COUNTY

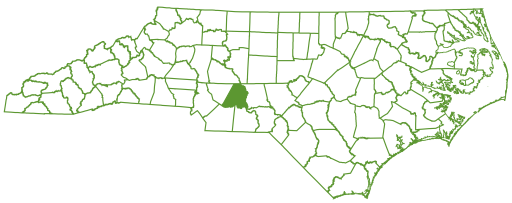
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	204,293
Number of Farms	150
Total Land in Farms, Acres	68,934
Average Farm Size, Acres	460
Harvested Cropland, Acres	31,034
Average Age of Farmers	57.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$248,129,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$17,090,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$479,521



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	1,370	2.40	3,270	78
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	12,800	31	394,000	48
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	4,490	35	159,000	40
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			12,900,000	18
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,200	77
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			82,066,416	28
Crops			12,100,699	71
Government Payments			834,675	42
Total			95,001,790	38

STANLY COUNTY

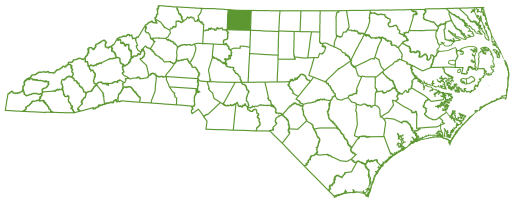
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	252,836
Number of Farms	664
Total Land in Farms, Acres	93,071
Average Farm Size, Acres	140
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,058
Average Age of Farmers	58.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$478,518,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$56,744,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$112,834



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,900	136	1,484,000	27
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	11,900	1.95	23,400	24
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	19,600	35	688,000	35
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	8,740	61	531,000	9
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			9,100,000	28
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,500	22
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			3,000	49
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			570,000	11
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			60,359,382	35
Crops			23,497,670	48
Government Payments			1,422,963	34
Total			85,280,015	41

STOKES COUNTY

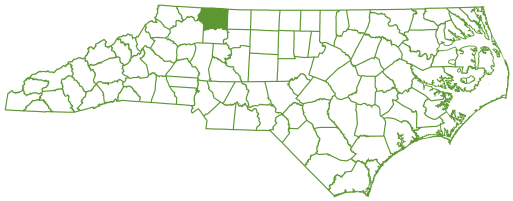
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	287,269
Number of Farms	926
Total Land in Farms, Acres	91,547
Average Farm Size, Acres	99
Harvested Cropland, Acres	20,873
Average Age of Farmers	59
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$352,165,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$43,180,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$35,332



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,110	119	132,000	71
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,600	2.30	35,500	8
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	2,500	34	85,000	72
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,830	1,840	3,370,000	35
Wheat: Bu.	630	41	26,000	71
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,500	22
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			5,200	26
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			305,000	15
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			15,238,236	60
Crops			12,820,912	69
Government Payments			21,043	98
Total			28,080,191	73

SURRY COUNTY

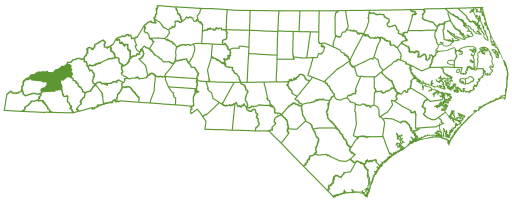
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	340,586
Number of Farms	1,256
Total Land in Farms, Acres	126,897
Average Farm Size, Acres	101
Harvested Cropland, Acres	50,769
Average Age of Farmers	57.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$582,149,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$106,634,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$145,921



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,100	142	1,432,000	28
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	19,100	2.35	44,700	6
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	11,700	42	493,000	44
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	2,730	2,465	6,730,000	19
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			28,100,000	11
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			22,500	8
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			675,000	6
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			156,354,481	12
Crops			37,211,389	37
Government Payments			540,717	45
Total			194,106,587	15

SWAIN COUNTY

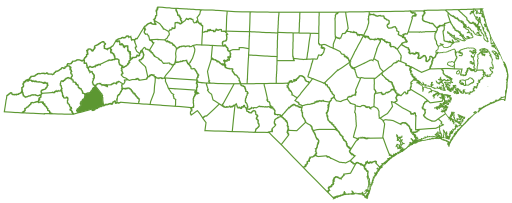
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	337,978
Number of Farms	94
Total Land in Farms, Acres	*
Average Farm Size, Acres	*
Harvested Cropland, Acres	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$32,814,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$3,507,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$12,624



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			400	90
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			835,126	92
Crops			344,700	100
Government Payments			35,203	94
Total			1,215,029	100

TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

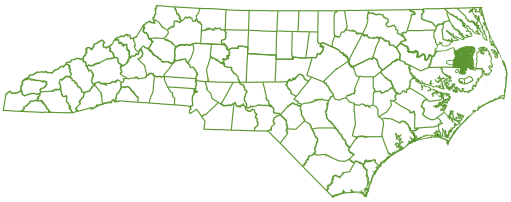
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	242,162
Number of Farms	221
Total Land in Farms, Acres	17,929
Average Farm Size, Acres	81
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,824
Average Age of Farmers	60.6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$158,449,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$9,661,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$90,749



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,150	176	202,000	61
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	1,750	2.85	4,970	68
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			2,500	63
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,300	61
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,000	67
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,900	55
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			7,374,094	76
Crops			18,249,196	57
Government Payments			53,822	87
Total			25,677,112	76

TYRRELL COUNTY

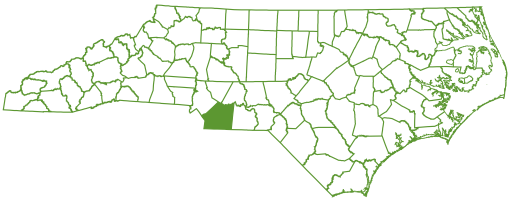
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	248,980
Number of Farms	78
Total Land in Farms, Acres	64,590
Average Farm Size, Acres	828
Harvested Cropland, Acres	56,862
Average Age of Farmers	57.3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$164,361,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$26,827,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$527,644



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,000	167	3,830,000	9
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	32,500	47	1,530,000	16
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	9,700	62	598,000	7
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			300	91
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	94
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			7,193,864	77
Crops			47,823,464	28
Government Payments			2,573,991	24
Total			57,591,319	53

UNION COUNTY

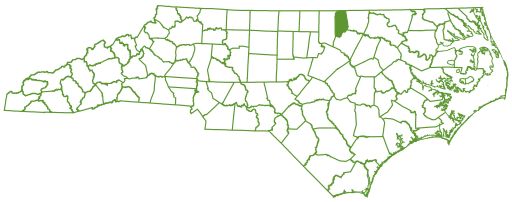
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	404,160
Number of Farms	1,059
Total Land in Farms, Acres	201,655
Average Farm Size, Acres	190
Harvested Cropland, Acres	143,932
Average Age of Farmers	58.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$1,138,807,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$119,284,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$383,548



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	31,900	129	4,101,000	8
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	11,100	2.15	23,800	23
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	63,300	44	2,797,000	3
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	48,700	55	2,660,000	1
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			65,300,000	2
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			19,500	10
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			12,100	7
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,400,000	2
Turkeys Raised (2017)			3,150,000	4
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			406,784,682	3
Crops			82,450,603	11
Government Payments			3,519,874	18
Total			492,755,159	3

VANCE COUNTY

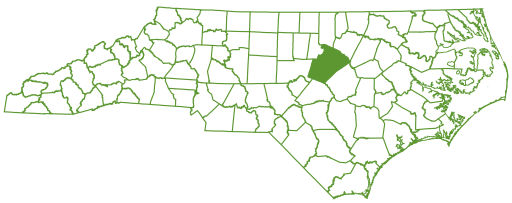
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	162,248
Number of Farms	242
Total Land in Farms, Acres	54,880
Average Farm Size, Acres	227
Harvested Cropland, Acres	13,890
Average Age of Farmers	62.1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$189,883,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$19,270,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$52,538



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	3,000	1.55	4,600	72
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	5,830	32	184,000	61
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,800	2,435	4,380,000	28
Wheat: Bu.	1,700	55	93,500	55
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,500	72
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			800	73
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			768,382	94
Crops			12,180,244	70
Government Payments			174,112	74
Total			13,122,738	88

WAKE COUNTY

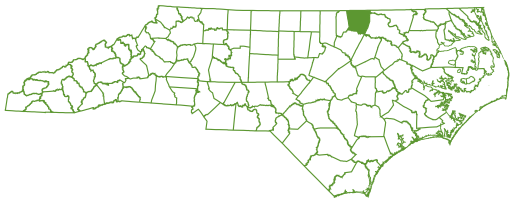
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	532,415
Number of Farms	783
Total Land in Farms, Acres	84,229
Average Farm Size, Acres	108
Harvested Cropland, Acres	37,990
Average Age of Farmers	61.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$806,464,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$53,282,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$70,643



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	300	83	24,900	90
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	6,700	1.50	10,200	52
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	12,600	25	320,000	54
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	3,610	2,130	7,690,000	16
Wheat: Bu.	2,720	45	122,000	53
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			6,100	61
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,400	54
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			3,400	47
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			7,958,668	74
Crops			48,300,422	27
Government Payments			459,883	48
Total			56,718,973	54

WARREN COUNTY

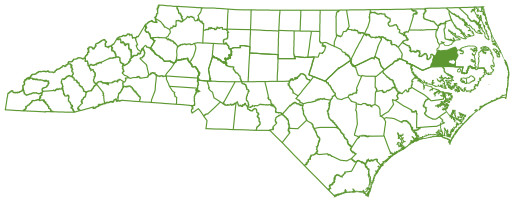
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	274,207
Number of Farms	256
Total Land in Farms, Acres	65,699
Average Farm Size, Acres	257
Harvested Cropland, Acres	18,774
Average Age of Farmers	62.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$168,317,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$15,582,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$77,471



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	7,500	1.45	10,700	51
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	8,470	29	241,000	57
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	1,460	2,440	3,560,000	32
Wheat: Bu.	2,000	63	126,000	51
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			7,300	42
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			13,330,292	64
Crops			12,078,650	73
Government Payments			227,803	62
Total			25,636,745	77

WASHINGTON COUNTY

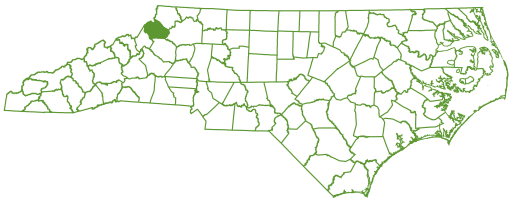
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	222,843
Number of Farms	156
Total Land in Farms, Acres	91,398
Average Farm Size, Acres	586
Harvested Cropland, Acres	72,279
Average Age of Farmers	58.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$275,734,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$47,083,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$327,643



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	31,300	168	5,260,000	5
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,650	1,188	21,400	12
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	1,260	4,159	5,240,000	24
Soybeans: Bu.	39,600	46	1,819,000	13
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	280	2,035	570,000	47
Wheat: Bu.	5,900	64	378,000	17
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,300	76
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			700	75
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			18,231,000	57
Crops			58,538,892	24
Government Payments			4,203,684	14
Total			80,973,576	43

WATAUGA COUNTY

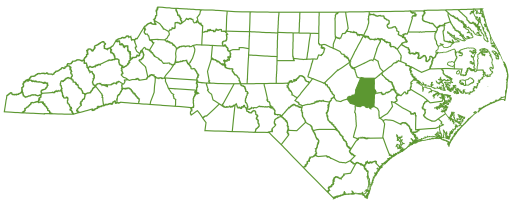
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	199,388
Number of Farms	609
Total Land in Farms, Acres	55,765
Average Farm Size, Acres	92
Harvested Cropland, Acres	10,241
Average Age of Farmers	59.7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$416,776,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$31,516,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$27,265



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	6,600	2.10	13,900	42
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,000	19
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			4,600	31
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,700	57
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			7,062,117	78
Crops			6,551,010	88
Government Payments			189,954	69
Total			13,803,081	86

WAYNE COUNTY

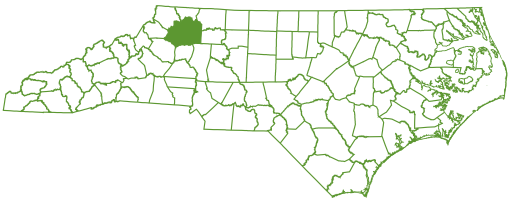
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	353,730
Number of Farms	563
Total Land in Farms, Acres	191,195
Average Farm Size, Acres	340
Harvested Cropland, Acres	142,683
Average Age of Farmers	58.4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$788,542,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$112,321,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$733,809



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,400	128	3,003,000	13
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	*	*	*	*
Peanuts: Lbs.	3,530	3,881	13,700,000	17
Soybeans: Bu.	61,500	39	2,422,000	6
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	8,000	2,165	17,310,000	5
Wheat: Bu.	16,100	49	795,000	4
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			15,000,000	17
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			8,500	36
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			515,000	4
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			96,000	26
Turkeys Raised (2017)			4,000,000	3
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			300,526,369	5
Crops			108,898,155	6
Government Payments			4,745,169	11
Total			414,169,693	5

WILKES COUNTY

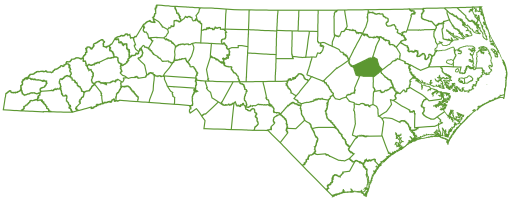
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	483,420
Number of Farms	972
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,118
Average Farm Size, Acres	114
Harvested Cropland, Acres	33,155
Average Age of Farmers	59.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$538,077,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$78,081,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$248,579



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,470	145	793,000	42
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,800	2.85	44,800	5
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	1,560	43	66,700	75
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			54,800,000	3
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			38,500	3
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			14,300	3
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	13
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			415,000	10
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			267,860,084	7
Crops			14,507,714	67
Government Payments			179,750	72
Total			282,547,548	7

WILSON COUNTY

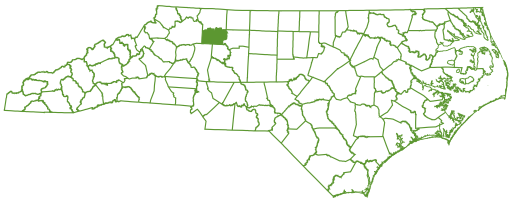
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	235,633
Number of Farms	297
Total Land in Farms, Acres	111,395
Average Farm Size, Acres	375
Harvested Cropland, Acres	83,635
Average Age of Farmers	58.2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$425,164,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$79,118,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$485,385



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,200	129	1,320,000	32
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	7,110	965	14,300	18
Hay, Other: Tons	1,000	2.60	2,620	81
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	33,300	44	1,471,000	19
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	9,700	255	2,456,000	2
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	9,470	2,445	23,150,000	2
Wheat: Bu.	2,300	60	138,000	49
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			1,100	81
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			600	81
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			*	*
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			33,000	32
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			12,599,262	66
Crops			147,888,234	3
Government Payments			2,805,971	22
Total			163,293,468	23

YADKIN COUNTY

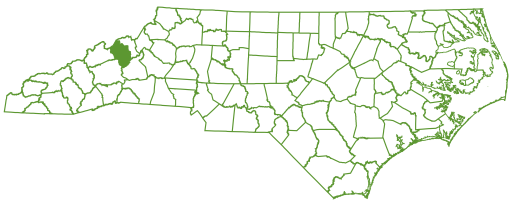
Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	214,289
Number of Farms	952
Total Land in Farms, Acres	100,483
Average Farm Size, Acres	106
Harvested Cropland, Acres	49,465
Average Age of Farmers	56.9
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$529,204,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$64,814,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$109,985



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	11,600	122	1,410,000	29
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	15,200	2.75	41,600	7
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	18,800	38	706,000	32
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2016)			6,700,000	32
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2017)			19,500	10
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2017)			8,900	10
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2017)			1,300	10
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2016)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2016)			1,150,000	3
Turkeys Raised (2016)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			78,601,923	30
Crops			29,023,840	42
Government Payments			1,503,191	33
Total			109,128,954	34

YANCEY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2012	
Total Acres in County	199,974
Number of Farms	450
Total Land in Farms, Acres	31,002
Average Farm Size, Acres	69
Harvested Cropland, Acres	4,650
Average Age of Farmers	60.5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	$200,940,000
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	$12,781,000
Average Total Farm Production Expense	$15,735



Crops - 2017	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Hay, Other: Tons	2,900	2.25	6,500	60
Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Burley: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Tobacco, Flue-Cured: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Livestock			**Number**	**Rank**
Broilers Produced (2017)			*	*
Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2018)			3,800	51
Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			2,200	51
Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2018)			100	32
Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2017)			*	*
Layers (Dec. 1, 2017)			1,200	65
Turkeys Raised (2017)			*	*
Cash Receipts - 2017			**Dollars**	**Rank**
Livestock, Dairy and Poultry			1,942,556	87
Crops			4,369,374	92
Government Payments			204,928	66
Total			6,516,858	94

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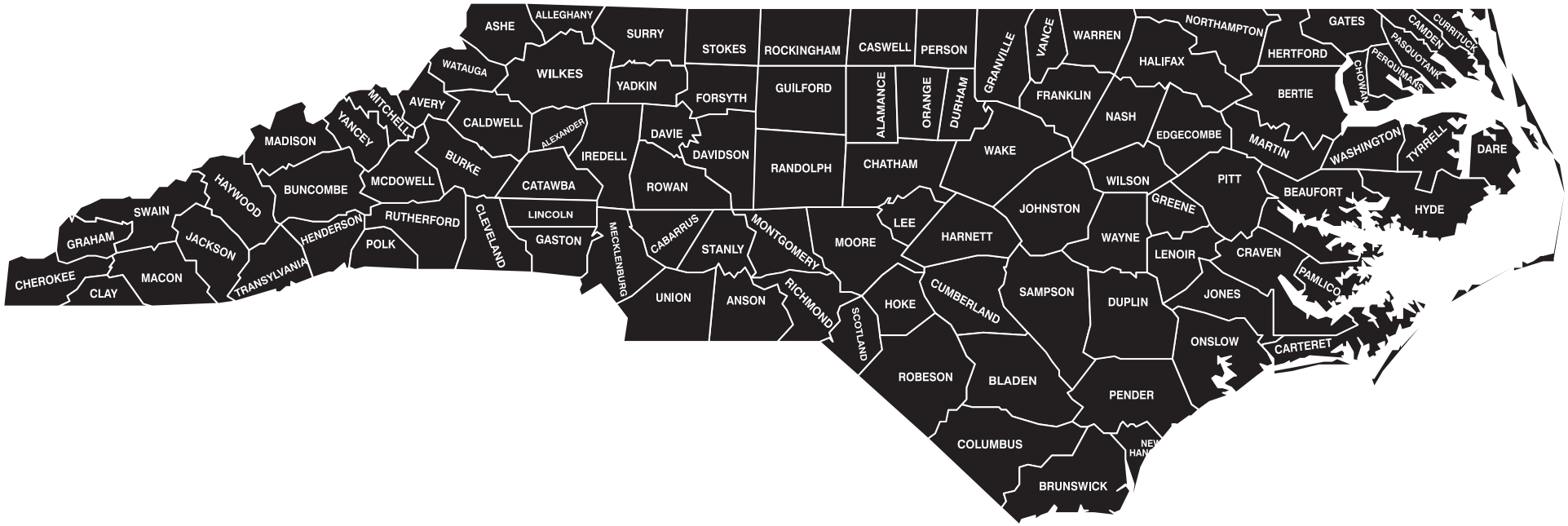

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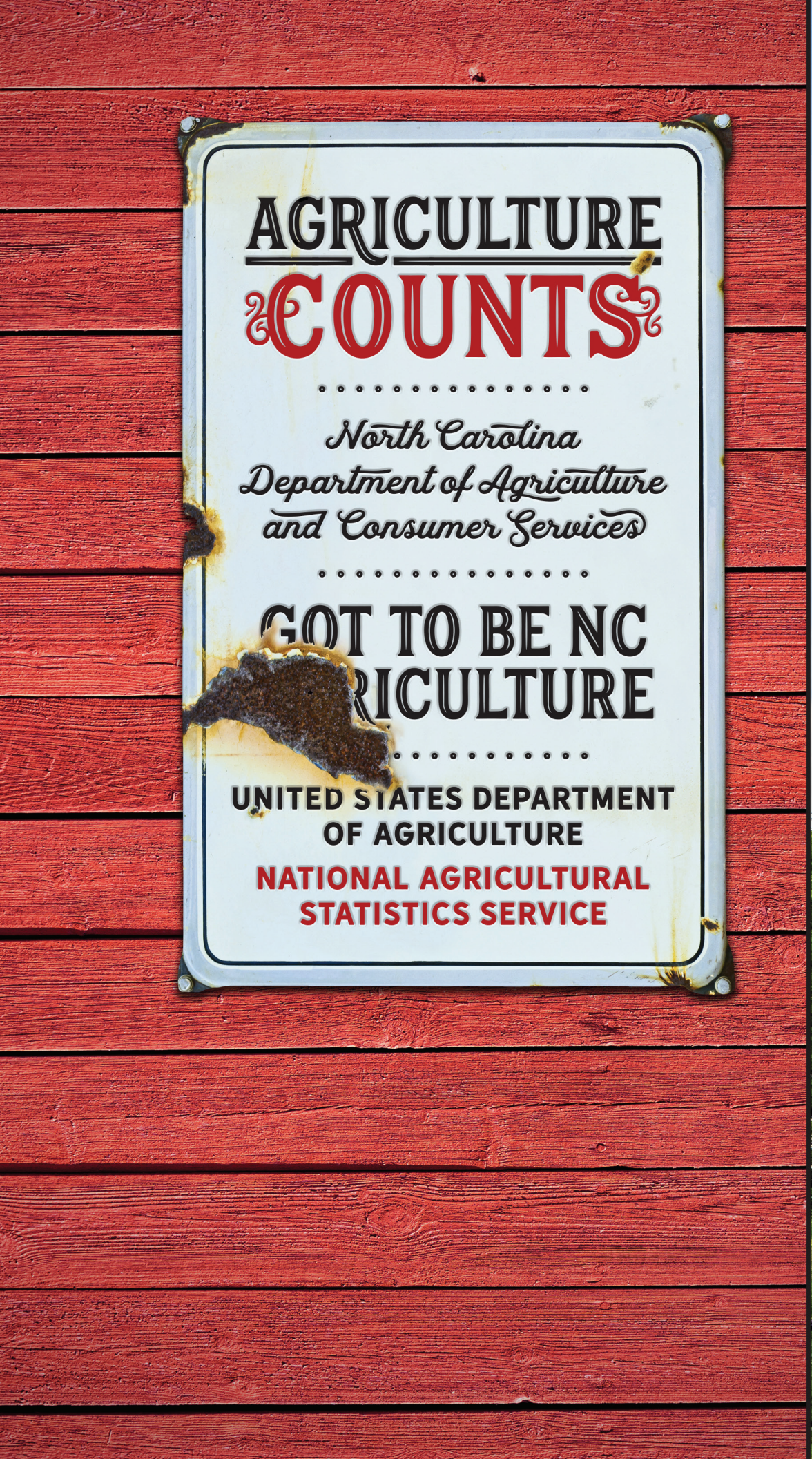

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