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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE 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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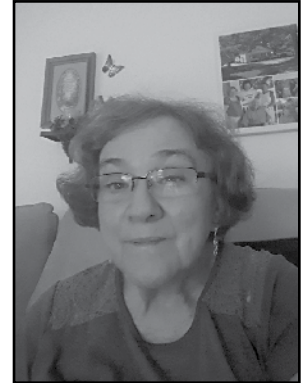
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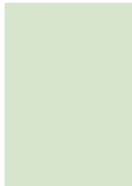


Section 1:

GENERAL



STATISTICS PROGRAM
NC'S RANK IN U.S.
AGRICULTURE
FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES
FARM NUMBERS
WEATHER & CLIMATE
SOIL MOISTURE



STATISTICAL REPORTS PROGRAM

The USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service compiles current and historic statistics concerning agriculture in North Carolina. 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 NASS 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.

NASS 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 and more are free and available online at www.nass.usda.gov/Publications or by writing to: State Statistician, Agricultural Statistics, PO Box 27767, Raleigh, NC 27611.

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	Second Week in February
Prospective Plantings	Annually	Last Week in March
Acreage Report	Annually	Last Week in June
Annual Fruit & Nut Production	Annually	First Week in May
Small Grains Summary	Annually	Last Week in September
Field Crop Production	Monthly (In Season)	Second Week of Each Month
Grain Stocks	Quarterly	Second Week in January, Last Week in March, June & September
WEATHER-CROPS REPORTS		
	Weekly (Monthly: Dec. - Mar.)	Monday, 4:00 pm
LIVESTOCK REPORTS		
Hog and Pig Inventory and Pig Crop	Quarterly	Last Week in March, June, September & December
Cattle Cow Inventory and Calf Crop	Bi-Annually	Last Week in January and Third Week in July
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 September
Poultry Production, Disposition, & Income	Annually	Last Week in April
ECONOMIC REPORTS		
Number of Farms & Land in Farms	Annually	Third Week in February
Prices Received By Farmers	Monthly	Last Week of Each Month
Labor, Wage Rates	Bi-Annually	Third week in May & November

NORTH CAROLINA'S RANK IN U.S. AGRICULTURE, 2022 ¹

Rank	Item	Production		N.C. % of U.S.	Top 3 States		
					1	2	3
1	All Tobacco	249.7	(Mil Lbs)	55.8	NC	KY	TN
1	Flue-cured Tobacco	249.4	(Mil Lbs)	82.4	NC	VA	GA
1	Sweet Potatoes	15,484.5	(000 Cwt)	59.7	NC	CA	MS
1	All Poultry & Egg Cash Receipts	8,753.3	(Mil \$)	11.4	NC	AR	GA
2	Annual Pig Crop Dec 21 - Nov 22	18.0	(Mil Hd)	13.5	IA	NC	MN
2	Turkeys	28.0	(Mil Hd)	13.3	MN	NC	AR
2	Trout Sold (foodsize)	3.3	(Mil Lbs)	7.5	ID	NC	PA
3	Cucumbers	1,445.0	(000 Cwt)	11.0	MI	FL	NC
3	Hogs & Pigs (12-1-22)	8.3	(Mil Hd)	11.1	IA	MN	NC
4	Peanuts	510.4	(Mil Lbs)	9.2	GA	AL	FL
4	Broilers	976.2	(Mil Hd)	10.7	GA	AL	AR
5	Burley Tobacco	0.3	(Mil Lbs)	0.5	KY	TN	PA
5	Upland Cotton ²	1,005.0	(000 Bales)	6.9	TX	GA	AR
6	Bell Peppers	378.0	(000 Cwt)	3.6	FL	CA	GA
6	Blueberries	38.1	(Mil Lbs)	6.1	WA	OR	CA
6	Watermelon	2,356.0	(000 Cwt)	7.2	FL	GA	CA
6	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry Cash Receipts	12,523.5	(Mil \$)	4.8	TX	IA	CA
7	Pumpkin	717.5	(000 Cwt)	4.4	IL	IN	CA
7	Squash	400.0	(000 Cwt)	6.5	MI	CA	FL
8	Chickens (12-1-22) (Excludes Broilers)	23.9	(Mil Hd)	4.6	IA	OH	IN
9	All Commodity Cash Receipts	16,863.6	(Mil \$)	3.1	CA	IA	NE
10	Eggs - Value of Production	753.1	(Mil \$)	3.9	IA	OH	IN
15	Barley	759.0	(000 Bu)	0.4	ID	ND	MT
16	Oats	847.0	(000 Bu)	1.5	ND	MN	SD
17	Winter Wheat	24.0	(Mil Bu)	2.2	KS	WA	OK
17	Soybeans	65.1	(Mil Bu)	1.5	IL	IA	MN
19	Corn for Grain	98.9	(Mil Bu)	0.7	IA	IL	MN
19	Crop Cash Receipts	4,340.1	(Mil \$)	1.6	CA	IA	IL
28	Milk	912.0	(Mil Lbs)	0.4	CA	WI	ID
32	Hay	1,448.0	(000 Tons)	1.3	TX	MO	KS
35	Cattle on Farms (1-1-23)	740.0	(000 Hd)	0.8	TX	NE	KS

¹ Ranking commodities of published states only. ² 480-lb. net weight bales.



FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES

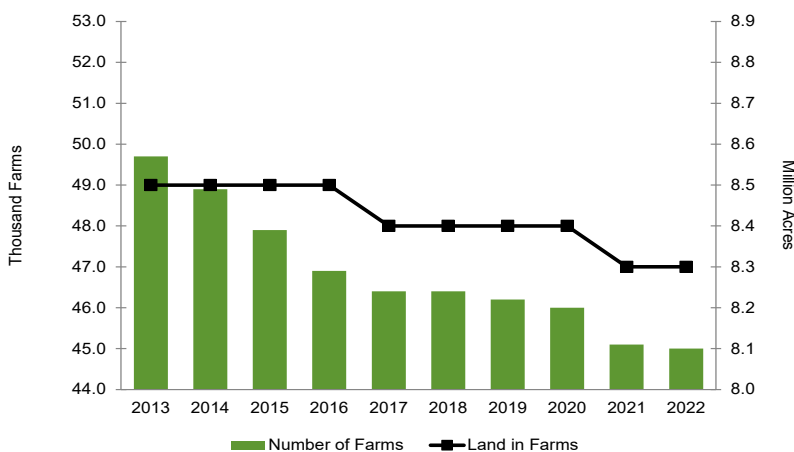
Year	Farm Real Estate Values per Acre January 1	Cropland		Pasture	
		Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre	Value per Acre	Cash Rent per Acre
<i>Dollars</i>					
2019	4,680	4,180	90.50	4,810	26.00
2020	4,670	4,180	88.50	4,780	27.50
2021	4,750	4,290	94.50	4,850	27.50
2022	5,150	4,700	100.00	5,200	26.50
2023	5,550	5,000	101.00	5,550	26.50

NUMBER OF FARMS AND LAND IN FARMS ¹

Year	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size	Economic Sales Class Estimates						
				\$1,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$99,999	\$100,000 +	\$1,000 - \$9,999	\$10,000 - \$99,999	\$100,000 +	
				Number of Farms			Land in Farms			
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Number</i>			<i>Thousand Acres</i>			
NORTH CAROLINA										
2018	46.4	8,400	181	26,100	12,700	7,600	1,500	1,800	5,100	
2019	46.2	8,400	182	25,900	12,700	7,600	1,400	1,800	5,200	
2020	46.0	8,400	183	25,700	12,700	7,600	1,400	1,800	5,200	
2021	45.1	8,300	184	24,800	12,700	7,600	1,350	1,800	5,150	
2022	45.0	8,300	184	24,800	12,600	7,600	1,350	1,700	5,250	
UNITED STATES										
2018	2,029	899,500	443	1,035,690	619,030	374,480	84,370	186,770	628,360	
2019	2,023	897,400	444	1,034,540	615,340	373,520	83,940	187,100	628,360	
2020	2,019	896,600	444	1,032,240	613,940	372,820	83,540	186,550	626,510	
2021	2,012	895,300	445	1,025,090	614,040	372,920	82,900	186,490	625,910	
2022	2,003	893,400	446	1,016,820	612,000	373,880	81,770	185,980	625,650	

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



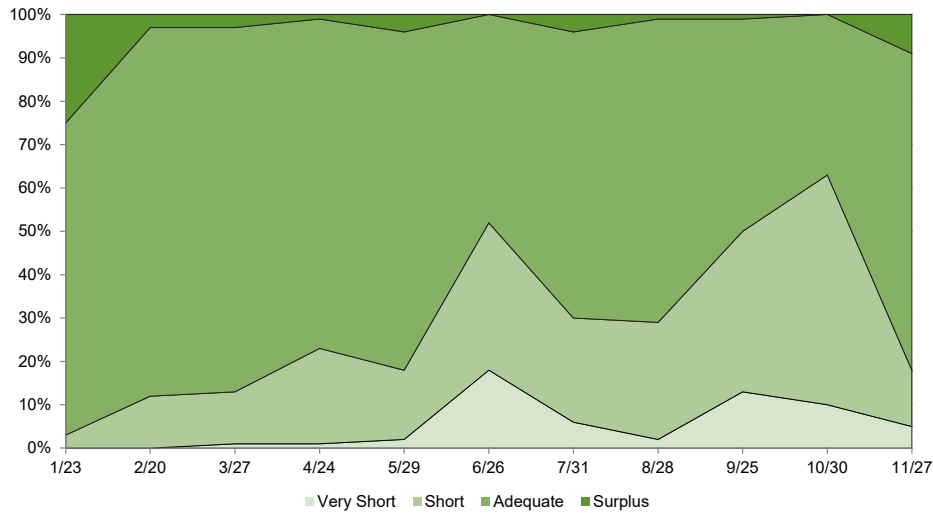
CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA, 2022

District	Average Temperatures												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average
<i>Degrees Fahrenheit</i>													
S. Mountain	35.1	41.8	49.2	53.9	65.2	71.1	75.1	72.5	65.5	53.1	47.9	38.6	55.8
N. Mountain	31.4	38.0	45.8	51.3	62.0	68.3	72.7	69.9	62.9	50.4	45.4	35.5	52.8
N. Piedmont	37.0	43.9	52.4	57.9	67.5	75.4	79.2	76.7	70.0	56.6	52.4	39.4	59.0
C. Piedmont	38.2	45.1	53.4	59.4	69.3	75.8	80.0	77.1	70.6	57.2	52.6	40.3	59.9
S. Piedmont	40.6	47.1	54.4	60.2	70.3	77.1	80.5	77.7	71.3	57.9	53.4	41.7	61.0
S. Coastal	42.2	50.0	56.7	62.3	73.0	78.2	81.5	79.2	74.1	61.6	58.4	46.3	63.6
C. Coastal	42.7	49.3	56.3	61.6	71.0	76.9	81.1	78.9	73.7	61.2	57.5	45.7	63.0
N. Coastal	40.2	46.7	54.6	60.3	69.7	75.5	81.0	78.8	73.6	60.8	56.5	43.8	61.8

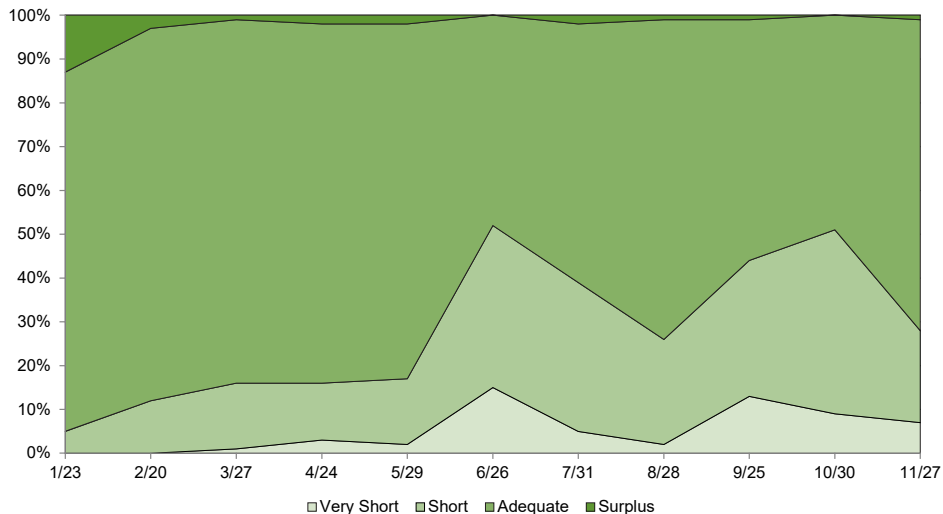
District	Precipitation												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<i>Inches of Water</i>													
S. Mountain	4.20	6.93	5.61	3.11	7.60	1.85	6.51	5.05	5.08	1.64	6.75	4.29	58.62
N. Mountain	4.29	5.73	4.01	3.11	7.39	1.57	7.22	5.50	4.41	3.04	7.04	3.27	56.58
N. Piedmont	5.42	3.42	4.69	2.76	5.30	1.57	6.08	4.81	3.38	3.37	4.90	4.19	49.89
C. Piedmont	5.33	2.79	4.53	3.11	5.38	1.98	6.33	3.75	3.89	2.71	5.24	3.94	48.98
S. Piedmont	5.11	2.70	4.99	4.03	3.98	2.10	6.50	4.33	3.55	2.64	5.11	4.00	49.04
S. Coastal	4.21	1.25	2.90	3.38	2.25	3.34	7.88	6.03	4.87	1.92	2.13	2.10	42.26
C. Coastal	5.30	1.49	3.14	3.06	4.73	2.16	9.18	4.10	4.42	2.74	2.57	3.21	46.10
N. Coastal	6.00	1.68	3.39	2.86	5.25	2.22	6.64	5.10	3.85	3.86	3.15	3.11	47.11

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

TOP-SOIL MOISTURE PERCENTS STATEWIDE, 2022



SUB-SOIL MOISTURE PERCENTS STATEWIDE, 2022







Section 2:

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 NASS 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:

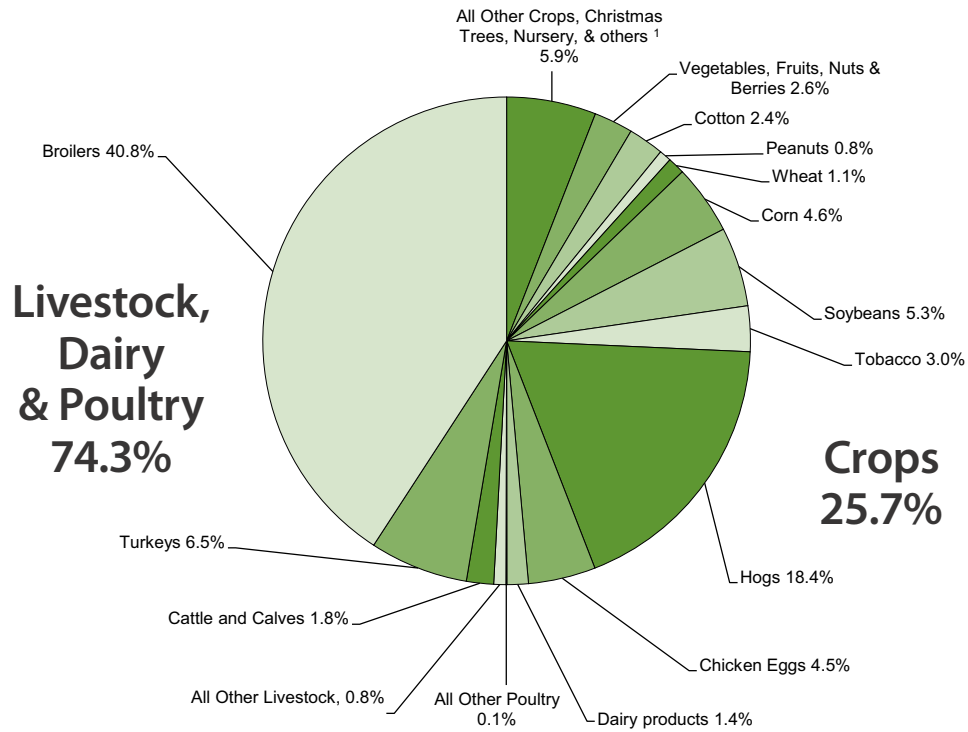
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SOURCE OF FARM CASH RECEIPTS, NORTH CAROLINA, 2022

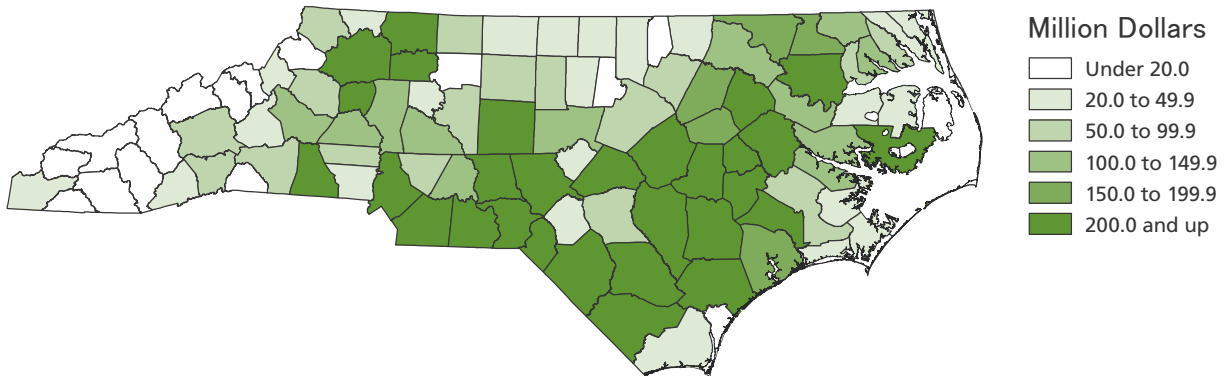
\$16,863,610,000



¹ All Other Crops includes hay, small grains, sorghum, greenhouse, floriculture, nursery, cut Christmas trees, mushrooms and other miscellaneous crops.

COUNTY CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARM MARKETINGS, 2022

Includes Crops, Livestock & Government Payments



CASH RECEIPTS

from Farm Marketings by Commodity

Commodities	2019	2020	2021	2022	2022 % of Total Sales
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				<i>Percent ¹</i>
All commodities	10,670,814	10,028,727	13,253,422	16,863,610	100.0%
Animals and products	7,428,479	6,589,651	9,251,153	12,523,478	74.3%
Meat animals	2,388,156	2,174,754	3,193,087	3,406,150	20.2%
Cattle and calves	214,688	235,944	263,292	303,756	1.8%
Hogs	2,173,468	1,938,810	2,929,795	3,102,394	18.4%
Dairy products, Milk	172,928	167,132	175,823	239,184	1.4%
Poultry and eggs	4,751,902	4,133,649	5,762,791	8,753,345	51.9%
Broilers	3,606,314	2,822,007	4,289,303	6,887,125	40.8%
Chicken eggs	443,693	504,920	513,312	753,086	4.5%
Farm chickens	5,242	2,716	2,069	10,710	0.1%
Turkeys	696,653	804,006	958,107	1,102,424	6.5%
Miscellaneous animals and products	115,494	114,117	119,452	124,800	0.7%
Aquaculture	11,822	10,593	11,990	13,024	0.1%
Catfish	3,970	3,058	4,204	4,257	*
Trout	7,852	7,535	7,786	8,767	0.1%
Honey	2,417	2,508	3,392	3,443	*
Other animals and products	101,216	100,971	104,030	108,285	0.6%
All other animals and products	99,184	99,184	102,476	107,067	0.6%
Mink pelts	2,032	1,787	1,554	1,218	*
Wool	39	45	40	47	*
Crops	3,242,335	3,439,076	4,002,269	4,340,131	25.7%
Food grains	77,621	93,232	150,025	198,152	1.2%
Rye	5,031	5,415	6,269	7,417	*
Wheat	72,589	87,817	143,755	190,735	1.1%
Feed crops	491,761	578,371	814,199	856,237	5.1%
Barley	1,042	1,299	1,408	2,021	*
Corn	396,494	487,186	736,174	780,345	4.6%
Hay	92,633	87,809	74,620	71,352	0.4%
Oats	1,593	2,076	1,997	2,518	*
Cotton	268,805	299,256	320,055	398,698	2.4%
Cotton lint	234,020	263,141	283,185	336,256	2.0%
Cotton lint, Upland	234,020	263,141	283,185	336,256	2.0%
Cottonseed	34,785	36,115	36,871	62,442	0.4%
Tobacco	456,509	388,258	431,687	509,407	3.0%
Oil crops	533,291	703,876	933,592	1,023,338	6.1%
Miscellaneous oil crops	603	979	948	914	*
Rapeseed	603	979	948	914	*
Peanuts	70,745	106,024	94,300	134,469	0.8%
Soybeans	461,942	596,873	838,344	887,955	5.3%
Vegetables and melons	499,681	435,941	357,551	366,710	2.2%
Sweet potatoes	397,606	332,917	231,846	225,005	1.3%
Cucumbers	25,478	19,125	29,602	27,054	0.2%
Cucumbers, Fresh	4,473	6,296	9,830	9,756	0.1%
Cucumbers, Processing	21,005	12,829	19,772	17,298	0.1%
Pumpkins	10,991	2,681	7,271	16,750	0.1%
Peppers, bell	21,297	32,466	21,687	26,919	0.2%
Squash	20,311	14,387	9,408	14,966	0.1%
Watermelon	23,998	34,365	57,737	56,016	0.3%
Fruits and nuts	60,811	49,632	54,710	69,650	0.4%
Blueberries	60,811	49,632	54,710	69,650	0.4%
All other crops	853,856	890,511	940,450	917,941	5.4%
Floriculture	198,651	225,318	198,800	191,390	1.1%
Miscellaneous crops	655,205	665,193	741,650	726,551	4.3%

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA Data as of August 31, 2023

¹ Percents may not add due to rounding. * Less than 0.05 percent. NIA Not available or insufficient data.

FARM INCOME ¹

Cash Receipts from Farm Marketings and Government Payments, 2022

State	Livestock, Dairy and Poultry		Crops		Total		Government Payments ²		Total Cash Receipts	
	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank	Receipts	Rank
<i>Receipts in Million Dollars</i>										
Alabama	6,982.0	12	1,528.3	33	8,510.3	24	131.1	32	8,641.4	24
Alaska	9.3	50	36.3	50	45.6	50	15.4	48	61.0	50
Arizona	2,241.9	28	2,958.7	26	5,200.7	29	67.7	37	5,268.4	29
Arkansas	8,556.2	10	5,417.4	17	13,973.6	14	460.0	12	14,433.6	14
California	17,400.2	3	38,471.0	1	55,871.2	1	636.5	7	56,507.7	1
Colorado	6,376.0	15	2,719.2	28	9,095.2	22	454.4	13	9,549.6	22
Connecticut	248.7	44	437.3	42	686.0	45	18.2	47	704.2	45
Delaware	1,616.3	36	411.0	43	2,027.3	38	22.8	41	2,050.1	39
Florida	2,011.4	33	6,608.2	15	8,619.6	23	196.2	23	8,815.8	23
Georgia	8,835.7	9	4,272.2	20	13,108.0	15	362.0	16	13,470.0	15
Hawaii	180.8	46	461.8	41	642.6	46	22.5	43	665.0	46
Idaho	6,858.9	13	4,376.5	18	11,235.3	19	197.3	22	11,432.7	19
Illinois	3,604.7	25	24,849.6	3	28,454.2	5	400.4	14	28,854.6	5
Indiana	6,346.4	16	12,030.9	6	18,377.3	8	166.8	27	18,544.1	8
Iowa	20,301.8	2	24,880.4	2	45,182.2	2	1,022.9	4	46,205.1	2
Kansas	13,608.6	5	10,525.8	7	24,134.3	7	562.1	9	24,696.4	7
Kentucky	4,466.6	23	3,839.3	22	8,305.8	25	156.0	29	8,461.8	25
Louisiana	1,514.3	38	2,780.2	27	4,294.5	33	285.6	18	4,580.1	33
Maine	396.7	43	534.8	39	931.5	43	21.4	44	952.9	43
Maryland	2,016.9	32	1,282.4	35	3,299.3	36	42.6	38	3,341.9	36
Massachusetts	137.9	48	365.6	44	503.6	47	22.5	42	526.1	47
Michigan	5,218.1	20	6,885.4	14	12,103.5	16	173.7	26	12,277.2	18
Minnesota	10,190.0	8	15,812.4	5	26,002.4	6	858.3	5	26,860.7	6
Mississippi	4,641.6	22	3,112.6	24	7,754.2	26	276.3	19	8,030.4	26
Missouri	6,149.9	18	9,047.0	10	15,196.9	12	469.9	11	15,666.7	11
Montana	1,974.5	35	2,445.4	30	4,419.8	32	649.2	6	5,069.0	32
Nebraska	15,555.6	4	16,180.6	4	31,736.2	3	558.8	10	32,294.9	3
Nevada	636.4	42	314.8	45	951.2	42	41.0	39	992.2	42
New Hampshire	163.5	47	103.1	48	266.5	48	7.1	49	273.6	48
New Jersey	201.0	45	1,260.2	36	1,461.2	40	20.3	46	1,481.5	40
New Mexico	2,968.4	27	739.9	37	3,708.3	34	188.9	25	3,897.1	34
New York	4,938.3	21	2,602.4	29	7,540.7	27	93.3	36	7,633.9	27
North Carolina	12,523.5	6	4,340.1	19	16,863.6	9	292.0	17	17,155.6	9
North Dakota	1,566.7	37	9,871.6	8	11,438.3	18	1,458.6	2	12,896.8	16
Ohio	6,190.7	17	9,181.6	9	15,372.3	11	192.5	24	15,564.8	12
Oklahoma	7,769.2	11	1,781.9	31	9,551.1	21	632.7	8	10,183.7	20
Oregon	2,111.5	29	4,117.8	21	6,229.3	28	247.4	20	6,476.7	28
Pennsylvania	6,487.0	14	3,291.0	23	9,778.0	20	134.2	31	9,912.1	21
Rhode Island	32.8	49	44.0	49	76.8	49	4.6	50	81.4	49
South Carolina	2,041.2	31	1,526.6	34	3,567.8	35	103.2	35	3,671.0	35
South Dakota	5,837.0	19	8,509.9	11	14,346.9	13	1,090.0	3	15,436.8	13
Tennessee	2,102.5	30	3,052.1	25	5,154.6	30	112.9	34	5,267.5	30
Texas	22,064.0	1	7,984.2	12	30,048.2	4	1,632.5	1	31,680.7	4
Utah	2,003.5	34	718.9	38	2,722.5	37	144.9	30	2,867.3	37
Vermont	801.7	40	237.4	46	1,039.2	41	20.6	45	1,059.7	41
Virginia	3,409.1	26	1,675.0	32	5,084.1	31	119.3	33	5,203.4	31
Washington	4,129.0	24	7,898.4	13	12,027.4	17	369.1	15	12,396.5	17
West Virginia	714.3	41	190.1	47	904.3	44	24.8	40	929.2	44
Wisconsin	10,900.0	7	5,931.2	16	16,831.2	10	223.3	21	17,054.5	10
Wyoming	1,419.2	39	507.0	40	1,926.2	39	157.9	28	2,084.1	38
United States	258,451.3	-	278,149.2	-	536,600.5	-	15,561.4	-	552,161.9	-

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA as of August 31, 2023. 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. U.S. government direct payments by program are net payments reflecting: (1) gross payments from the U.S. government to the farm sector; (2) payments returned to the U.S. government by the farm sector; and (3) accounting adjustments. A negative value indicates payments returned exceeded gross payments during the calendar year.

CASH RECEIPTS AND GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

Year	All Commodities	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry	Crops	Government Payments	Year	All Commodities	Livestock, Dairy & Poultry	Crops	Government Payments
<i>Million Dollars</i>					<i>Million Dollars</i>				
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	12,676.0	8,310.0	4,366.0	411.3
1974	2,582.5	919.0	1,663.5	8.1	2014	12,941.1	8,790.3	4,150.9	346.1
1975	2,626.1	989.1	1,637.0	8.9	2015	11,628.8	7,922.1	3,706.6	91.1
1976	2,833.7	1,076.9	1,756.8	7.8	2016	10,534.3	7,185.7	3,348.6	181.0
1977	2,630.3	1,062.3	1,568.0	21.6	2017	11,345.0	7,728.9	3,616.1	156.3
1978	3,156.8	1,274.1	1,882.7	34.8	2018	11,074.9	7,640.0	3,434.9	105.9
1979	3,229.4	1,389.4	1,840.0	8.3	2019	10,670.8	7,428.5	3,242.3	409.0
1980	3,427.5	1,447.1	1,980.4	13.2	2020	10,028.7	6,589.7	3,439.1	752.9
1981	3,953.7	1,604.2	2,349.5	15.5	2021	13,253.4	9,251.2	4,002.3	391.8
1982	3,914.3	1,620.6	2,293.7	16.5	2022	16,863.6	12,523.5	4,340.1	292.0

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA data as of August 31, 2023

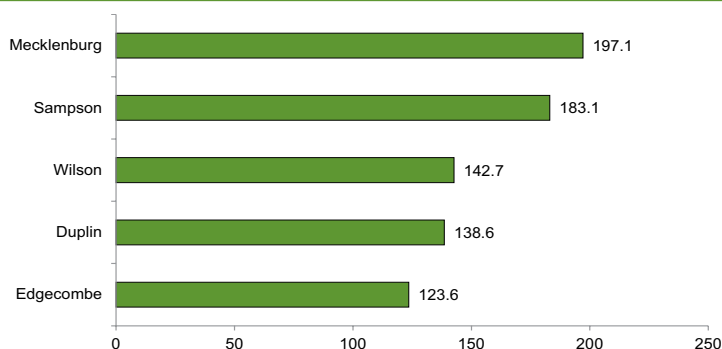
TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS

Livestock		Crops		Total ¹	
County	Thousand Dollars	County	Thousand Dollars	County	Thousand Dollars
Duplin	1,519,589	Mecklenburg	197,087	Duplin	1,667,550
Sampson	1,294,340	Sampson	183,071	Sampson	1,499,444
Union	609,048	Wilson	142,656	Union	723,720
Wilkes	523,242	Duplin	138,591	Bladen	592,636
Bladen	507,080	Edgecombe	123,556	Robeson	579,692
Anson	497,621	Robeson	118,385	Wilkes	542,776
Robeson	455,032	Johnston	117,565	Wayne	530,381
Wayne	410,007	Wayne	112,194	Anson	528,680
Randolph	385,865	Beaufort	111,846	Bertie	423,520
Bertie	325,485	Union	110,566	Randolph	415,388

¹ Includes government payments.

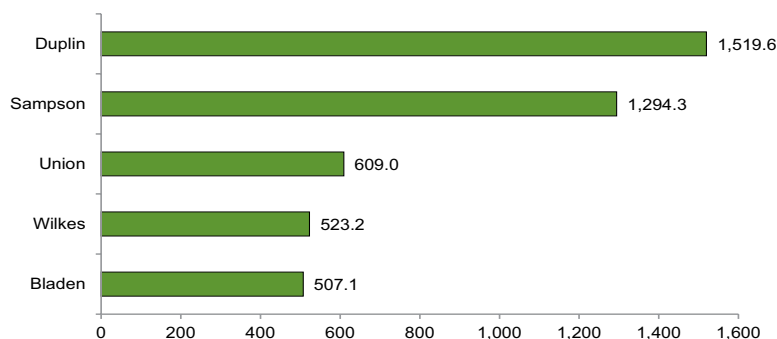
CROPS CASH RECEIPTS LEADING COUNTIES

(Million Dollars)



LIVESTOCK CASH RECEIPTS LEADING COUNTIES

(Million Dollars)



TOP TEN COUNTIES IN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FOR SPECIFIED COMMODITIES ¹

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

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

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

Counties	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Alamance	51,339	63,646	31,829	45,209	17,785	17,933	1,726	504
Alexander	181,469	276,033	167,421	261,445	11,976	13,310	2,072	1,279
Alleghany	34,215	36,986	10,412	12,886	22,307	23,802	1,496	298
Anson	352,735	528,680	325,247	497,621	25,355	29,158	2,133	1,900
Ashe	58,999	59,404	7,686	8,891	48,229	50,098	3,084	415
Avery	22,253	21,779	949	1,095	19,789	20,582	1,514	102
Beaufort	129,760	142,408	21,238	23,016	96,657	111,846	11,865	7,547
Bertie	302,943	423,520	207,325	325,485	82,646	85,969	12,972	12,066
Bladen	508,421	592,636	429,647	507,080	70,356	75,037	8,418	10,519
Brunswick	46,685	41,642	30,481	24,909	15,240	16,061	965	672
Buncombe	52,913	55,910	9,953	12,329	41,680	43,077	1,279	504
Burke	69,653	100,620	55,557	87,337	12,584	12,901	1,512	382
Cabarrus	54,696	68,387	36,963	50,541	16,327	17,470	1,407	377
Caldwell	53,315	75,900	40,522	63,372	11,661	12,271	1,132	257
Camden	44,109	45,633	1,337	1,509	40,580	43,571	2,192	553
Carteret	29,962	34,304	799	879	28,317	31,877	846	1,548
Caswell	34,235	40,193	15,563	21,442	16,941	17,654	1,731	1,096
Catawba	83,129	118,728	62,425	95,650	19,434	22,656	1,270	423
Chatham	134,332	197,506	122,335	186,804	10,264	10,154	1,732	547
Cherokee	29,700	38,605	22,080	31,053	6,771	7,381	850	171
Chowan	56,635	62,081	7,809	12,526	44,910	47,418	3,916	2,137
Clay	3,010	2,679	1,016	1,142	1,694	1,403	300	134
Cleveland	155,373	226,904	133,425	203,345	19,088	20,831	2,859	2,728
Columbus	182,939	202,475	98,478	113,260	75,783	82,373	8,679	6,841
Craven	72,086	76,777	24,233	27,551	42,345	44,436	5,508	4,791
Cumberland	109,606	124,144	66,853	79,537	38,240	40,547	4,512	4,060
Currituck	23,893	26,671	102	125	22,255	25,389	1,535	1,157
Dare	2,540	1,840	49	57	1,954	1,551	536	232
Davidson	59,311	76,987	35,624	53,203	22,068	23,323	1,619	461
Davie	31,062	36,308	13,612	17,371	16,278	18,691	1,172	246
Duplin	1,330,878	1,667,550	1,198,055	1,519,589	122,184	138,591	10,639	9,370
Durham	9,714	10,242	1,611	1,873	7,826	8,255	277	113
Edgecombe	226,035	265,400	95,636	129,592	116,435	123,556	13,964	12,252
Forsyth	15,862	16,196	3,127	3,570	11,652	11,715	1,083	911
Franklin	78,924	85,151	23,885	26,373	52,109	56,675	2,930	2,103
Gaston	27,949	39,301	22,114	33,571	5,337	5,534	499	196
Gates	91,600	118,563	54,112	81,534	31,438	32,859	6,050	4,171
Graham	3,244	3,391	2,489	2,795	630	586	124	11
Granville	27,691	28,887	4,517	5,647	20,488	21,892	2,686	1,348
Greene	255,946	284,554	172,956	191,241	75,209	85,781	7,781	7,533
Guilford	60,447	68,104	22,768	31,241	33,763	34,805	3,916	2,058
Halifax	132,184	141,701	29,384	31,449	91,715	101,310	11,085	8,942
Harnett	208,766	277,407	144,908	211,468	56,594	60,783	7,264	5,157
Haywood	17,152	19,188	10,209	12,771	5,384	5,401	1,559	1,015
Henderson	68,198	79,962	3,442	4,355	59,963	64,220	4,792	11,387
Hertford	119,769	157,008	69,544	103,394	44,445	47,458	5,780	6,156
Hoke	67,031	83,921	49,417	66,479	15,938	16,563	1,677	878
Hyde	187,760	249,179	108,174	158,100	74,449	87,935	5,137	3,144
Iredell	127,810	164,500	86,022	117,197	36,920	46,320	4,868	983
Jackson	9,014	9,169	699	851	7,928	8,263	387	55

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

Counties	Total		Livestock		Crops		Government Payments	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Thousand Dollars								
Johnston	226,371	257,069	106,115	133,687	111,775	117,565	8,480	5,817
Jones	191,690	235,332	150,155	191,691	37,109	40,000	4,426	3,641
Lee	56,508	80,569	41,942	65,504	13,041	13,431	1,525	1,634
Lenoir	267,441	321,057	175,983	222,977	83,315	92,574	8,143	5,505
Lincoln	61,798	87,466	50,899	75,759	9,216	10,828	1,682	878
McDowell	33,450	39,698	11,939	17,916	20,639	21,278	872	503
Macon	9,952	10,157	6,954	7,818	2,108	2,285	889	53
Madison	6,346	6,842	2,711	3,191	3,216	3,498	419	153
Martin	98,753	115,604	16,740	22,161	67,777	80,006	14,237	13,438
Mecklenburg	193,525	200,590	3,062	3,465	189,513	197,087	951	38
Mitchell	2,497	2,795	660	829	1,744	1,822	94	144
Montgomery	143,986	219,142	134,061	208,502	8,874	10,146	1,051	495
Moore	171,576	260,617	154,068	241,531	16,532	17,771	977	1,315
Nash	170,308	198,724	63,159	88,839	95,616	103,423	11,533	6,462
New Hanover	6,730	6,801	144	165	6,381	6,608	205	28
Northampton	161,851	190,938	76,821	105,290	72,708	74,365	12,322	11,284
Onslow	155,968	168,914	125,642	137,024	26,807	28,441	3,518	3,449
Orange	38,980	41,936	16,804	21,267	20,516	20,338	1,660	331
Pamlico	26,789	32,641	537	607	23,981	30,607	2,271	1,427
Pasquotank	68,974	73,467	351	351	63,984	71,482	4,639	1,634
Pender	199,292	221,819	151,306	173,120	44,125	47,138	3,861	1,561
Perquimans	99,583	124,239	36,821	57,812	57,945	64,196	4,816	2,231
Person	39,436	42,800	4,460	5,924	31,637	33,894	3,339	2,982
Pitt	286,138	356,943	178,232	240,752	96,386	105,655	11,519	10,536
Polk	9,818	10,715	3,971	4,626	5,499	5,763	349	326
Randolph	277,062	415,388	251,972	385,865	21,769	28,166	3,321	1,358
Richmond	195,758	293,997	187,126	283,661	8,085	8,716	547	1,619
Robeson	459,276	579,692	332,342	455,032	113,500	118,385	13,434	6,275
Rockingham	33,971	36,634	8,896	11,141	22,786	23,622	2,289	1,872
Rowan	88,531	106,456	35,664	50,006	49,207	55,713	3,660	738
Rutherford	51,824	79,375	48,081	75,695	3,209	3,236	535	445
Sampson	1,260,531	1,499,444	1,072,943	1,294,340	165,683	183,071	21,905	22,034
Scotland	153,409	217,057	135,561	198,642	16,073	16,962	1,775	1,453
Stanly	108,468	133,216	69,911	97,725	34,664	33,200	3,892	2,291
Stokes	40,134	54,360	27,424	40,968	11,728	12,432	982	960
Surry	237,859	348,118	191,433	300,525	43,739	45,178	2,686	2,415
Swain	1,350	1,516	696	796	543	575	111	145
Transylvania	27,213	29,438	5,516	6,226	21,506	23,148	191	64
Tyrrell	63,298	70,373	10,785	10,664	49,718	57,351	2,795	2,358
Union	539,768	723,720	426,749	609,048	105,339	110,566	7,680	4,106
Vance	15,367	15,255	1,141	1,307	13,020	13,507	1,206	441
Wake	61,459	64,992	8,876	10,515	50,576	53,218	2,006	1,259
Warren	26,786	27,821	9,804	11,327	15,103	15,318	1,879	1,176
Washington	98,500	92,224	22,277	6,238	71,324	82,002	4,899	3,984
Watauga	13,529	13,735	5,791	6,678	6,873	7,038	864	19
Wayne	445,089	530,381	330,539	410,007	103,540	112,194	11,010	8,180
Wilkes	348,559	542,776	331,393	523,242	15,447	17,447	1,719	2,087
Wilson	173,816	188,630	28,254	38,301	133,952	142,656	11,610	7,673
Yadkin	151,836	208,091	108,512	162,731	40,112	44,372	3,212	988
Yancey	6,734	7,282	1,889	2,230	4,406	4,586	439	467
Published Counties	13,645,177	17,155,611	9,251,153	12,523,478	4,002,268	4,340,132	391,756	292,001
Other Counties	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
State Total	13,645,177	17,155,611	9,251,153	12,523,478	4,002,268	4,340,132	391,756	292,001

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Counties	Broilers		Cattle & Calves		Dairy		Eggs	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Alamance	6,403	10,230	5,165	5,993	5,861	7,973	13,358	19,896
Alexander	128,935	207,418	6,205	7,348	4,508	6,133	27,360	40,277
Alleghany	15	28	6,205	7,183	4,057	5,520	*	*
Anson	255,663	410,603	3,153	3,653	*	*	11,105	16,256
Ashe	*	*	5,836	6,773	*	*	48	73
Avery	*	*	570	657	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	101	123	*	*	*	*
Bertie	196,494	315,360	235	287	*	*	*	*
Bladen	111,273	178,492	1,375	1,560	*	*	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	470	534	*	*	64	92
Buncombe	24	42	4,629	5,377	3,607	4,906	570	844
Burke	50,779	81,133	1,643	1,888	*	*	2,092	3,106
Cabarrus	16,779	26,809	4,494	5,213	2,705	3,680	*	*
Caldwell	36,649	58,910	2,080	2,422	*	*	402	607
Camden	*	*	101	123	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	134	123	*	*	39	58
Caswell	*	*	3,052	3,530	3,156	4,293	8,852	13,102
Catawba	50,338	80,427	4,763	5,541	2,705	3,680	2,543	3,737
Chatham	95,377	153,094	10,901	12,725	2,705	3,680	9,174	13,345
Cherokee	*	*	3,220	3,735	*	*	*	*
Chowan	6,403	10,583	302	328	*	*	*	*
Clay	*	*	771	903	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	106,416	170,732	7,211	8,415	2,705	3,680	3,219	4,610
Columbus	14,130	22,929	1,811	2,093	*	*	58	87
Craven	*	*	402	493	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	10,377	16,579	1,006	1,190	*	*	61	87
Currituck	*	*	67	82	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	21,416	34,570	4,092	4,721	4,959	6,746	4,345	6,308
Davie	*	*	3,589	4,187	1,352	1,840	4,989	7,279
Duplin	406,234	652,591	6,876	7,881	*	*	15,451	22,808
Durham	*	*	604	698	*	*	132	194
Edgecombe	57,844	93,126	637	739	*	*	3,541	5,095
Forsyth	*	*	1,241	1,437	*	*	74	107
Franklin	4,371	6,984	4,528	5,295	*	*	4,989	7,522
Gaston	16,117	26,104	2,214	2,586	*	*	483	582
Gates	45,039	71,961	134	164	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	503	575	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	2,583	2,997	*	*	109	160
Greene	16,558	26,456	537	616	*	*	*	*
Guilford	*	*	3,555	4,105	4,508	6,133	10,944	16,256
Halifax	*	*	1,778	2,052	*	*	3,219	4,756
Harnett	107,299	172,143	2,180	2,545	*	*	90	131
Haywood	*	*	3,723	4,351	4,959	6,746	68	97
Henderson	*	*	1,073	1,231	*	*	119	175
Hertford	54,312	87,482	101	82	*	*	*	*
Hoke	19,208	31,042	436	493	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	67	82	*	*	*	*
Iredell	8,169	13,052	14,925	17,445	41,476	56,423	19,152	27,903
Jackson	*	*	537	657	*	*	*	*

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Counties	Broilers		Cattle & Calves		Dairy		Eggs	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Johnston	29,805	47,974	4,494	5,213	*	*	*	*
Jones	57,403	91,715	268	328	*	*	*	*
Lee	37,533	60,321	1,107	1,272	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	41,286	66,317	1,241	1,437	*	*	4,345	6,308
Lincoln	31,792	51,149	5,366	6,239	12,623	17,172	129	189
McDowell	8,390	13,405	1,040	1,190	1,352	1,840	579	844
Macon	8	13	1,040	1,231	*	*	64	92
Madison	20	32	2,046	2,381	*	*	106	155
Martin	9,273	14,816	503	575	*	*	*	*
Mecklenburg	*	*	637	739	*	*	42	58
Mitchell	*	*	537	616	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	123,195	197,541	2,214	2,545	*	*	3,863	5,581
Moore	138,208	222,234	3,689	4,269	*	*	1,191	1,747
Nash	32,013	51,502	2,080	2,422	*	*	10,300	15,043
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	38,636	62,084	537	616	*	*	*	*
Onslow	13,688	21,871	704	821	*	*	113	165
Orange	22	35	3,555	4,105	2,254	3,066	5,794	8,492
Pamlico	*	*	34	41	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	101	123	*	*	*	*
Pender	40,403	64,906	973	1,108	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	34,221	55,029	235	246	*	*	*	*
Person	*	*	2,348	2,750	*	*	42	58
Pitt	79,039	126,991	839	985	*	*	35	53
Polk	*	*	1,040	1,231	451	613	58	82
Randolph	180,598	289,962	14,087	16,214	30,205	41,091	22,532	33,241
Richmond	164,260	263,153	906	1,067	*	*	*	*
Robeson	196,052	314,655	1,811	2,135	*	*	68	97
Rockingham	*	*	4,193	4,844	1,352	1,840	*	*
Rowan	16,779	27,162	7,043	8,086	5,410	7,360	2,092	3,057
Rutherford	42,390	68,434	2,650	3,038	*	*	2,189	3,251
Sampson	178,390	286,434	7,211	8,415	*	*	11,427	16,742
Scotland	96,701	155,211	302	328	*	*	*	*
Stanly	37,753	60,673	4,930	5,747	1,352	1,840	*	*
Stokes	18,545	29,631	3,958	4,597	*	*	4,024	5,823
Surry	154,546	248,337	8,720	10,057	451	613	21,888	32,513
Swain	*	*	168	205	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	8	12	537	657	*	*	39	58
Tyrrell	*	*	134	164	*	*	*	*
Union	234,468	376,033	6,540	7,635	451	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	939	1,067	*	*	42	63
Wake	106	169	1,442	1,642	1,803	2,453	312	461
Warren	*	*	2,214	2,586	*	*	412	607
Washington	*	*	235	287	*	*	*	*
Watauga	*	*	4,327	5,049	*	*	93	141
Wayne	50,779	81,838	2,851	3,284	*	*	*	*
Wilkes	299,377	480,448	10,230	11,904	5,410	7,360	15,290	22,322
Wilson	*	*	604	698	*	*	*	*
Yadkin	35,766	57,499	5,635	6,568	*	*	61,158	89,774
Yancey	12	20	1,476	1,724	*	*	*	*
Published Counties	4,264,083	6,846,487	261,581	303,715	152,380	206,680	314,879	462,571
Other Counties	25,220	40,638	1,711	41	23,443	32,504	198,433	290,515
State Total	4,289,303	6,887,125	263,292	303,756	175,823	239,184	513,312	753,086

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Counties	Hogs		Turkeys		Other Livestock & Poultry ³	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
Alamance	*	*	*	*	932	1,039
Alexander	*	*	*	*	208	231
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	62	69
Anson	15,381	19,437	36,727	43,310	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	1,415	1,578
Avery	*	*	*	*	300	335
Beaufort	8,789	8,597	*	*	11,144	12,427
Bertie	*	*	*	*	347	386
Bladen	265,513	269,123	49,502	55,121	265	296
Brunswick	29,298	23,548	*	*	603	672
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	898	1,002
Burke	*	*	*	*	743	828
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	1,223	1,363
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	917	1,023
Camden	*	*	*	*	1,200	1,338
Carteret	*	*	*	*	588	656
Caswell	*	*	*	*	396	442
Catawba	*	*	*	*	1,927	2,149
Chatham	*	*	*	*	3,072	3,425
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	598	667
Chowan	*	*	*	*	2	3
Clay	*	*	*	*	194	217
Cleveland	*	*	12,136	13,977	*	*
Columbus	80,569	85,970	*	*	472	527
Craven	22,706	25,791	*	*	1,093	1,219
Cumberland	31,129	33,640	23,154	26,773	*	*
Currituck	*	*	*	*	21	24
Dare	*	*	*	*	26	29
Davidson	*	*	*	*	701	782
Davie	*	*	*	*	3,622	4,039
Duplin	659,204	710,187	110,182	125,991	*	*
Durham	*	*	*	*	756	843
Edgecombe	32,960	29,903	*	*	653	728
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	1,690	1,885
Franklin	8,423	4,859	*	*	1,370	1,528
Gaston	*	*	*	*	487	543
Gates	8,057	8,223	*	*	289	322
Graham	*	*	*	*	1,956	2,181
Granville	293	449	*	*	176	197
Greene	120,854	123,348	33,534	39,175	1,466	1,635
Guilford	183	748	*	*	3,415	3,808
Halifax	18,311	14,951	*	*	548	611
Harnett	31,129	31,772	*	*	1,302	1,452
Haywood	*	*	*	*	1,278	1,426
Henderson	*	*	*	*	416	464
Hertford	*	*	*	*	117	130
Hoke	25,636	29,903	2,172	2,559	1,225	1,366
Hyde	*	*	*	*	275	307
Iredell	*	*	*	*	2,094	2,335
Jackson	*	*	*	*	90	101

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Counties	Hogs		Turkeys		Other Livestock & Poultry ³	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>					
Johnston	51,271	56,067	14,691	16,930	3,116	3,475
Jones	80,569	85,970	11,657	13,387	235	262
Lee	*	*	*	*	735	820
Lenoir	82,400	95,315	46,309	53,153	*	*
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	716	799
McDowell	*	*	*	*	504	562
Macon	*	*	*	*	5,690	6,345
Madison	*	*	*	*	160	178
Martin	*	*	*	*	368	411
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	2,330	2,598
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	33	37
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	28	31
Moore	*	*	*	*	2,190	2,442
Nash	18,677	19,810	*	*	55	62
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	124	138
Northampton	36,622	41,116	*	*	60	67
Onslow	53,103	48,592	57,486	64,964	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	4,953	5,523
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	490	547
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	57	64
Pender	98,881	93,446	7,345	8,465	731	815
Perquimans	*	*	*	*	1,667	1,859
Person	916	1,645	*	*	219	244
Pitt	87,894	100,921	*	*	6,028	6,722
Polk	*	*	*	*	2,383	2,658
Randolph	2,930	3,551	*	*	*	*
Richmond	20,142	16,820	*	*	174	194
Robeson	126,347	128,955	*	*	1,004	1,119
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	654	730
Rowan	*	*	*	*	1,042	1,162
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	660	736
Sampson	640,893	710,187	228,349	263,794	*	*
Scotland	*	*	*	*	97	109
Stanly	*	*	23,474	26,970	202	225
Stokes	*	*	*	*	700	780
Surry	*	*	*	*	700	780
Swain	*	*	*	*	497	554
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	4,914	5,480
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	30	34
Union	*	*	124,554	143,709	2,276	2,538
Vance	*	*	*	*	149	166
Wake	*	*	96	118	*	*
Warren	6,592	7,476	*	*	470	524
Washington	*	*	*	*	4,820	5,375
Watauga	*	*	*	*	1,301	1,451
Wayne	119,023	142,037	153,297	177,175	2,883	3,215
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	1,050	1,171
Wilson	*	*	*	*	451	503
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	461	514
Yancey	*	*	*	*	85	94
Published Counties	2,784,697	2,972,355	934,665	1,075,572	110,068	122,738
Other Counties	145,098	130,039	23,442	26,852	11,453	12,771
State Total	2,929,795	3,102,394	958,107	1,102,424	121,521	135,509

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Counties	Corn		Cotton		Peanuts		Soybean	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>							
Alamance	3,445	3,116	*	*	*	*	2,978	2,497
Alexander	1,086	1,728	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	6,983	7,613	*	*	*	*	6,633	7,561
Ashe	77	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	32,516	43,061	8,861	9,759	*	*	43,451	44,858
Bertie	10,482	9,057	28,983	32,927	8,749	*	17,725	15,271
Bladen	18,300	20,181	*	*	2,923	4,666	7,617	7,601
Brunswick	6,431	7,085	*	*	*	*	3,566	3,971
Buncombe	*	153	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	826	518	*	*	*	*	571	736
Cabarrus	3,707	4,726	*	*	*	*	3,118	2,907
Caldwell	1,327	1,649	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	17,781	18,501	*	*	*	*	17,725	19,188
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	658	572	*	*	*	*	2,083	1,992
Catawba	3,041	5,057	*	*	*	*	3,936	4,804
Chatham	2,566	1,665	*	*	*	*	1,200	1,597
Cherokee	866	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	4,853	3,195	11,179	12,695	4,277	4,468	8,780	9,922
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	3,674	4,442	*	*	*	*	6,722	6,523
Columbus	28,689	30,927	2,733	2,825	3,202	*	23,911	27,117
Craven	14,882	13,467	3,507	5,752	1,717	*	11,706	11,723
Cumberland	8,282	6,209	3,312	4,523	*	*	7,297	9,185
Currituck	8,320	12,355	*	*	*	*	11,054	9,962
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	4,051	4,521	*	*	*	*	5,265	5,664
Davie	6,682	6,919	*	*	*	*	4,728	6,592
Duplin	36,736	*	1,370	3,447	*	*	24,281	29,805
Durham	356	316	*	*	*	*	357	457
Edgecombe	8,822	6,509	19,667	24,676	6,941	10,451	21,010	19,911
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	2,748	2,716
Franklin	1,589	1,712	*	*	*	*	6,709	8,721
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,559	1,610
Gates	4,897	3,053	10,765	13,012	2,727	3,955	11,808	10,863
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	1,441	1,649	*	*	*	*	3,016	3,794
Greene	9,035	8,300	4,223	7,260	*	6,160	13,598	17,823
Guilford	3,849	3,905	*	*	*	*	5,482	5,009
Halifax	6,125	*	39,334	44,154	6,743	10,301	17,112	17,373
Harnett	5,083	6,185	3,581	4,086	*	*	8,882	8,557
Haywood	273	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	3,014	*	*	*	*	*	183
Hertford	8,025	7,132	14,077	16,345	5,148	7,045	6,824	6,209
Hoke	*	5,239	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	27,308	36,449	11,759	12,576	*	*	23,936	23,610
Iredell	*	17,459	*	*	*	*	10,121	11,477
Jackson	96	114	*	*	*	*	*	*

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

Counties	Corn		Cotton		Peanuts		Soybean	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
<i>Thousand Dollars</i>								
Johnston	8,156	4,797	2,621	4,364	1,662	*	18,185	19,352
Jones	12,944	9,594	3,395	7,974	*	*	12,741	13,961
Lee	*	1,178	*	*	*	*	1,776	2,033
Lenoir	21,226	20,039	4,803	7,736	*	2,450	17,189	21,549
Lincoln	884	1,314	*	*	*	*	2,978	4,231
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	191	383	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	4,586	3,408	23,186	29,317	7,992	12,282	11,233	11,928
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	367	*
Moore	2,129	2,840	*	*	*	*	1,316	1,228
Nash	4,575	2,264	4,969	8,490	*	*	12,345	14,575
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	12,185	10,225	29,563	34,276	7,152	8,889	19,399	17,004
Onslow	8,287	7,093	*	*	*	*	6,927	6,482
Orange	2,801	2,288	*	*	*	*	1,840	1,651
Pamlico	9,707	16,118	*	*	*	*	12,320	11,600
Pasquotank	18,016	26,390	*	*	*	*	32,371	31,307
Pender	12,846	*	*	*	*	*	8,511	9,048
Perquimans	12,879	15,377	8,985	9,997	998	*	26,492	27,144
Person	2,702	2,911	*	*	*	*	5,444	5,513
Pitt	14,211	10,674	11,635	18,090	5,908	9,843	27,246	28,427
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	4,908	8,718	*	*	*	*	5,150	5,500
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,051
Robeson	48,785	50,879	6,376	9,402	1,738	*	34,083	32,016
Rockingham	2,211	1,526	*	*	*	*	4,205	4,572
Rowan	8,790	8,749	*	*	*	*	11,348	14,930
Rutherford	655	496	*	*	*	*	662	628
Sampson	25,987	28,008	7,039	10,910	*	*	24,447	29,710
Scotland	5,809	*	*	*	*	*	3,297	5,459
Stanly	10,296	10,146	7,453	8,133	*	*	10,096	7,219
Stokes	1,605	1,704	*	*	*	*	1,034	1,358
Surry	11,055	9,633	*	*	*	*	6,134	8,147
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	1,163	2,043	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	20,293	27,069	*	*	*	*	22,377	22,136
Union	26,047	22,714	*	*	*	*	34,224	30,652
Vance	*	119	*	*	*	*	3,169	3,084
Wake	765	520	*	*	*	*	4,371	4,831
Warren	1,518	787	*	*	*	*	4,703	5,090
Washington	27,079	33,112	*	7,934	1,329	*	28,741	30,133
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	19,971	16,528	5,134	7,538	4,355	6,984	22,518	27,554
Wilkes	4,772	6,343	*	*	*	*	1,058	*
Wilson	7,419	5,602	3,648	6,506	*	*	18,198	18,929
Yadkin	12,535	13,152	*	*	*	*	10,914	13,634
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Published Counties	693,151	692,491	282,158	364,704	73,561	87,494	816,922	861,456
Other Counties	43,023	87,854	37,897	33,994	20,739	46,975	21,422	26,499
State Total	736,174	780,345	320,055	398,698	94,300	134,469	838,344	887,955

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

Counties	Wheat		Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts & Berries		All Other Crops ³	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Alamance	711	827	446	472	10,204	10,528
Alexander	545	*	1,647	1,743	6,984	7,192
Alleghany	*	*	1,623	1,718	19,785	20,479
Anson	2,753	5,023	580	614	5,256	5,428
Ashe	*	*	745	789	47,398	49,213
Avery	*	*	299	316	19,445	20,211
Beaufort	3,624	5,515	907	960	*	*
Bertie	1,756	2,639	3,687	3,902	11,264	*
Bladen	960	757	25,325	26,805	*	*
Brunswick	558	*	1,177	1,246	3,450	3,586
Buncombe	*	*	3,636	3,848	37,569	38,996
Burke	*	*	346	367	10,757	11,148
Cabarrus	1,272	1,311	875	926	6,774	6,973
Caldwell	356	*	336	356	8,697	9,039
Camden	1,585	2,313	3,105	3,287	36	37
Carteret	*	*	1,363	1,443	2,385	2,479
Caswell	193	577	649	687	13,358	13,826
Catawba	1,250	1,184	1,456	1,541	9,751	10,069
Chatham	*	539	426	451	5,777	5,903
Cherokee	*	*	376	398	5,056	5,217
Chowan	1,064	1,725	3,894	4,121	10,864	11,292
Clay	*	*	354	375	444	443
Cleveland	2,069	3,076	3,025	3,201	3,458	3,517
Columbus	3,244	2,082	5,194	5,497	8,810	*
Craven	833	993	556	589	9,143	*
Cumberland	1,332	1,717	1,271	1,346	*	*
Currituck	2,307	2,440	246	261	243	253
Dare	*	*	144	152	164	171
Davidson	848	1,335	872	923	10,183	10,500
Davie	856	1,025	2,056	2,176	1,956	1,979
Duplin	4,427	7,041	34,558	36,579	*	19,209
Durham	*	*	253	268	6,725	6,980
Edgecombe	3,222	2,789	10,969	11,610	45,804	47,610
Forsyth	420	391	908	961	6,146	6,353
Franklin	2,314	2,996	530	561	40,831	42,440
Gaston	439	497	292	309	2,563	2,625
Gates	1,183	1,915	20	21	38	40
Graham	*	*	50	53	519	533
Granville	841	691	1,834	1,941	13,356	13,818
Greene	3,207	3,783	14,985	15,861	*	26,594
Guilford	1,272	1,884	879	931	22,280	23,077
Halifax	*	*	4,803	5,084	*	17,484
Harnett	2,202	2,615	4,995	5,287	*	*
Haywood	*	*	2,125	2,249	2,867	2,945
Henderson	*	*	19,891	21,054	38,462	39,952
Hertford	*	*	1,290	1,365	*	*
Hoke	863	*	55	59	486	506
Hyde	1,518	*	9,505	10,061	*	439
Iredell	2,694	3,600	495	524	11,497	11,807
Jackson	*	*	994	1,052	6,816	7,084

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

Counties	Wheat		Vegetables, Fruits, Nuts & Berries		All Other Crops ³	
	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022
Johnston	2,679	3,099	31,898	33,763	46,574	*
Jones	1,079	1,017	172	182	*	*
Lee	457	*	387	410	8,849	9,198
Lenoir	1,384	2,241	9,047	9,576	*	28,983
Lincoln	1,927	1,733	956	1,012	2,388	2,409
McDowell	*	*	150	159	20,016	20,792
Macon	*	*	158	167	1,401	1,430
Madison	*	*	312	330	2,698	2,764
Martin	841	2,313	1,787	1,891	18,151	18,866
Mecklenburg	279	*	228	242	188,129	195,531
Mitchell	*	*	158	167	1,552	1,613
Montgomery	57	*	414	438	5,299	5,484
Moore	395	595	1,243	1,315	11,203	11,589
Nash	1,295	767	25,646	27,145	*	*
New Hanover	*	*	32	34	5,688	5,912
Northampton	2,656	2,146	143	152	1,609	1,673
Onslow	702	1,248	405	429	9,288	9,632
Orange	626	427	1,407	1,489	13,842	14,320
Pamlico	*	*	152	161	1,412	1,468
Pasquotank	4,025	3,886	8,202	8,682	270	281
Pender	1,659	*	6,929	7,334	13,329	13,845
Perquimans	6,206	7,908	1,333	1,411	1,053	*
Person	2,188	3,354	648	686	20,654	21,429
Pitt	2,909	2,742	2,268	2,401	32,209	33,478
Polk	*	*	457	484	4,946	5,140
Randolph	1,347	3,163	922	976	9,443	9,679
Richmond	*	*	1,072	1,135	1,988	2,028
Robeson	8,996	10,109	4,001	4,235	9,520	*
Rockingham	945	1,589	416	440	15,009	15,494
Rowan	2,478	4,665	7,539	7,980	18,535	19,166
Rutherford	*	*	334	354	1,524	1,534
Sampson	3,877	4,943	59,424	62,898	*	*
Scotland	1,027	1,574	18	19	1,193	1,223
Stanly	3,542	4,371	202	214	*	*
Stokes	65	66	543	575	8,481	8,729
Surry	1,191	1,097	3,799	4,021	21,560	22,280
Swain	*	*	276	292	207	211
Transylvania	*	*	2,296	2,431	17,919	18,614
Tyrrell	3,735	*	1,532	1,622	42	43
Union	*	27,410	500	529	26,452	27,413
Vance	487	842	140	148	8,976	9,313
Wake	666	759	4,640	4,911	39,533	41,091
Warren	1,094	*	222	235	7,195	7,478
Washington	*	*	3,513	3,719	3,053	3,173
Watauga	*	*	137	145	6,645	6,872
Wayne	5,164	5,229	10,506	11,120	35,893	37,240
Wilkes	*	*	953	1,009	8,644	8,865
Wilson	2,515	*	38,122	40,351	*	64,462
Yadkin	*	1,725	324	343	15,045	15,519
Yancey	*	*	245	260	4,147	4,291
Published Counties	121,208	164,296	412,261	436,360	1,139,162	1,248,533
Other Counties	22,547	26,439	*	*	318,217	263,037
State Total	143,755	190,735	412,261	436,360	1,457,379	1,511,570

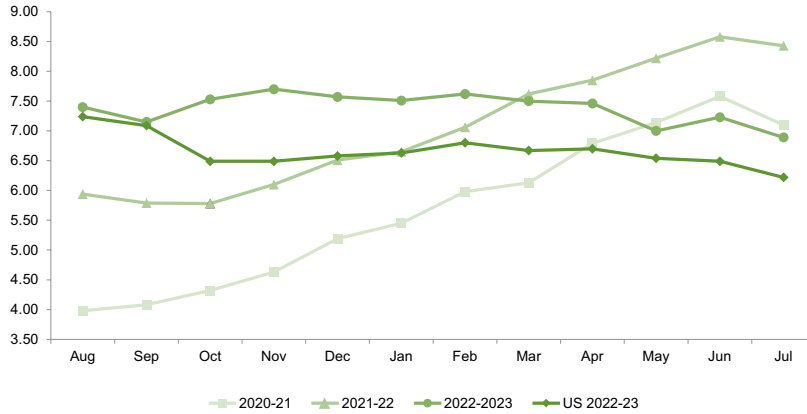
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VALUE ADDED TO THE NORTH CAROLINA ECONOMY BY THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR

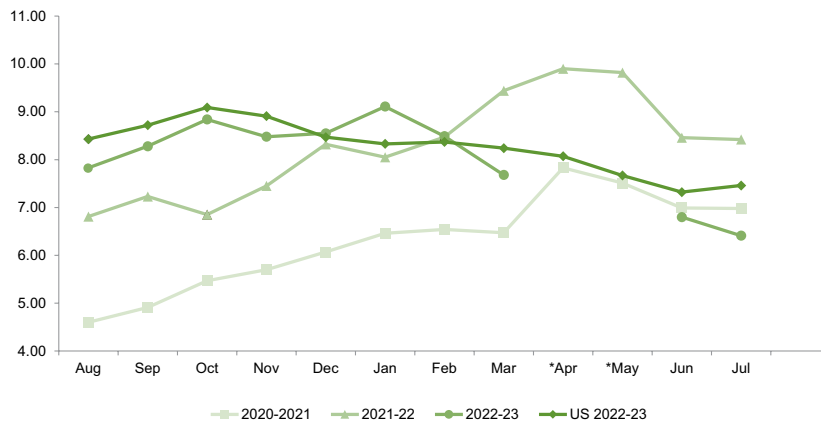
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>				
Value of crop production	3,132,032	3,225,454	3,112,570	3,991,418	4,301,062
Crop cash receipts	3,434,899	3,242,335	3,439,076	4,002,269	4,340,131
Cotton	282,889	268,805	299,256	320,055	398,698
Feed crops	571,463	491,761	578,371	814,199	856,237
Food grains	108,353	77,621	93,232	150,025	198,152
Fruits and nuts	78,679	60,811	49,632	54,710	69,650
Oil crops	616,416	533,291	703,876	933,592	1,023,338
Tobacco	580,720	456,509	388,258	431,687	509,407
Vegetables and melons	438,313	499,681	435,941	357,551	366,710
All other crops	758,066	853,856	890,511	940,450	917,941
Home consumption	2,407	1,665	2,794	8,857	10,500
Inventory adjustment	-305,274	-18,545	-329,300	-19,707	-49,569
Value of animals and products production	7,646,905	7,472,353	6,538,935	9,160,748	12,491,608
Animals and products cash receipts	7,639,971	7,428,479	6,589,651	9,251,153	12,523,478
Dairy products, Milk	161,063	172,928	167,132	175,823	239,184
Meat animals	2,379,042	2,388,156	2,174,754	3,193,087	3,406,150
Miscellaneous livestock	115,893	115,494	114,117	119,452	124,800
Poultry and eggs	4,983,973	4,751,902	4,133,649	5,762,791	8,753,345
Home consumption	4,380	6,253	6,438	5,744	4,995
Inventory adjustment	2,555	37,621	-57,155	-96,148	-36,865
Farm-related income	1,860,145	1,863,034	2,193,352	1,702,556	1,942,337
Forest products sold	58,959	45,627	40,898	50,544	45,051
Gross imputed rental value of farm dwellings	377,812	286,198	481,002	468,268	440,883
Machine hire and customwork	34,172	18,584	165,340	58,275	24,102
Other farm income	1,389,202	1,512,626	1,506,112	1,125,468	1,432,300
Total commodity insurance indemnities	345,908	347,259	325,114	273,804	238,777
Federal commodity insurance indemnities	266,401	315,256	288,391	243,464	215,854
Net cash rent received by operator landlords ²	7,510	11,170	31,187	-2,184	2,650
Value of agricultural sector production	12,639,082	12,560,841	11,844,856	14,854,722	18,735,007
Intermediate product expenses ¹	9,175,104	8,719,380	8,796,845	9,181,317	11,351,231
Farm origin	5,155,347	5,032,672	5,143,054	5,698,517	6,974,909
Feed purchases	3,760,000	3,740,000	3,500,000	4,230,000	5,400,000
Livestock and poultry purchases	985,347	892,672	903,054	978,517	1,054,909
Seed purchases	410,000	400,000	740,000	490,000	520,000
Manufactured inputs	1,183,733	1,234,298	1,237,524	1,467,925	1,895,372
Electricity	134,568	146,969	146,322	141,468	167,009
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners	410,000	430,000	420,000	550,000	710,000
Pesticides	320,000	310,000	360,000	410,000	500,000
Fuel and oils	319,165	347,329	311,202	366,457	518,363
Other intermediate expenses ¹	2,836,024	2,452,411	2,416,267	2,014,875	2,480,950
Machine hire and custom work	37,684	30,743	55,448	27,046	60,633
Marketing, storage, and transportation	829,001	375,636	277,677	216,302	309,455
Repair and maintenance ¹	281,437	330,734	373,648	366,015	422,447
Miscellaneous expenses ¹	1,687,902	1,715,298	1,709,493	1,405,513	1,688,414
Total insurance premiums ⁴	174,921	181,159	220,651	227,270	284,321
Federal commodity insurance premiums	68,762	69,915	81,810	99,428	128,268
Irrigation	627	738	1,539	355	571
Contract labor	108,733	134,342	114,814	65,576	231,784
Net government transactions	-155,573	118,685	478,751	134,797	-64,723
Direct government payments	105,916	408,973	752,948	391,756	292,001
Property taxes and fees ¹	261,489	290,288	274,197	256,959	356,724
Motor vehicle registration and licensing fees	21,489	20,288	24,197	26,959	26,724
Gross value added	3,199,671	3,825,804	3,411,949	5,742,626	7,087,269
Capital consumption ¹	554,944	525,097	527,485	464,673	461,919
Net value added	2,644,728	3,300,707	2,884,463	5,277,952	6,625,350
Factor payments to stakeholders ³	987,901	1,149,424	1,386,469	1,117,719	1,446,494
Hired labor and non-cash employee compensation	621,267	745,658	825,186	844,424	1,068,216
Net rent paid to operator landlords	8,811	12,989	32,976	-21	4,555
Net rent paid to nonoperator landlords	68,692	101,269	257,099	-165	35,516
Total interest expenses ¹	289,132	289,507	271,209	273,481	338,207
Net farm income	1,656,827	2,151,283	1,497,994	4,160,233	5,178,856

SOURCE: Economic Research Service, USDA. Data as of August 31, 2023. Values are rounded to the nearest thousand. ¹ Includes expenses associated with operator dwellings. ² Share rent income is included in cash receipts. ³ Prior to 2008 estimates, 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)

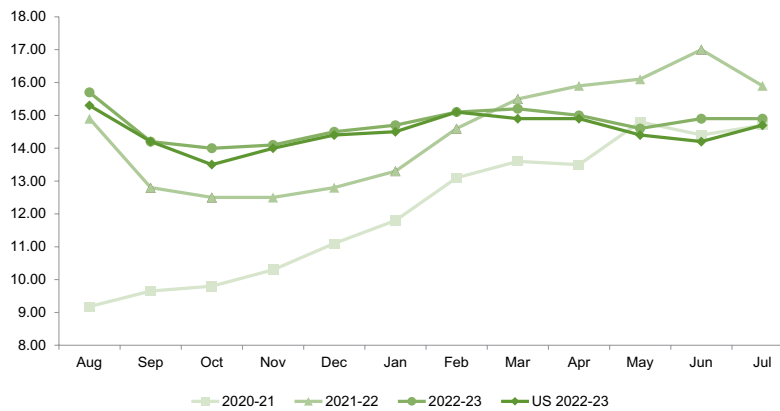


MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR WINTER WHEAT (Dollars per Bushel)



* North Carolina prices for April and May 2023 were withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations or because of an insufficient number of reports to establish an estimate.

MONTHLY PRICE RECEIVED FOR SOYBEANS (Dollars per Bushel)



PRICES RECEIVED

Marketing Year Average Prices for Specified Crops

Year	Corn per Bu	Cotton per Lb ¹	All Hay per Ton	Peanuts per Lb	Soybeans per Bu	Flue-Cured Tobacco per Lb	Burley Tobacco per Lb	Winter Wheat per Bu	Sweet Potatoes per Cwt
	<i>Dollars</i>								
2018	4.39	0.748	123	0.230	8.66	1.91	1.98	4.80	23.8
2019	4.41	0.605	113	0.221	8.71	1.87	2.00	5.30	21.7
2020	4.70	0.695	118	0.220	11.20	1.97	2.05	4.94	19.9
2021	6.30	0.730	128	0.253	13.20	2.00	2.01	7.16	13.1
2022	7.34	0.915	137	0.268	14.40	2.10	2.24	8.39	14.5

¹ Based on Marketings and monthly prices received from August 1–December 31.

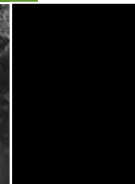




Section 3:

LIVESTOCK, DAIRY & POULTRY

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LIVESTOCK, DAIRY, AND POULTRY

Record Highs and Lows

Species	Date Series Began	Record High		Record Low	
		Year	Number	Year	Number
			<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Thousands</i>
Cattle and Calves - Inventory, Jan 1	1867	1985	1,175	1927	490
Beef cows - Inventory, Jan 1	1920	1996	476	1930	18
Milk Cows - Inventory, Jan 1	1867	1945	400	2021	39
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	2019	24,206	1931	8,670
Egg Production	1924	2021	4,098,000	1930	542,000
Commercial Broilers	1934	2022	976,200	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	
	2022	2023	2022	2023
	<i>Thousand Head</i>		<i>Thousand Head</i>	
Cattle - Total ¹	780	740	92,077	89,274
Cows & Heifers that have calved	400	380	39,360	38,320
Beef Cows	361	341	29,983	28,918
Milk Cows	39	39	9,377	9,403
Heifers 500 pounds and over	102	97	19,916	19,173
For Beef Cow replacement	62	60	5,482	5,164
For Milk Cow replacement	14	17	4,441	4,337
Other Heifers	26	20	9,994	9,672
Steers 500 pounds and over	42	40	16,705	16,132
Bulls 500 pounds and over	31	28	2,110	2,029
Calves under 500 pounds	205	195	13,986	13,621
Sheep - Total	29	30	5,065	5,020
Breeding Sheep & Lambs	23	23	3,710	3,665
Replacement Lambs	4	4	640	635
Ewes 1 year plus	17	17	2,910	2,870
Rams 1 year plus	3	2	160	160
Market Sheep & Lambs	6	7	1,355	1,355
Goats - Total ²	-	-	2,550	2,507
Angora Goats ²	-	-	110	107
Milk Goats	8	9	410	400
Meat and Other Goats	43	40	2,030	2,000
	Number on Farms December 1		Number on Farms December 1	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Head</i>		<i>Thousand Head</i>	
All Hogs and Pigs	8,000	8,300	74,446	74,849
Breeding Hogs	810	790	6,125	6,104
Market Hogs	7,190	7,510	68,321	68,746
Under 50 Pounds	2,890	2,960	21,594	21,788
50-119 Pounds	1,460	1,700	19,005	19,130
120-179 Pounds	1,355	1,430	14,374	14,800
180 Pounds and above	1,485	1,420	13,348	13,028
Chickens - Total ³	23,994	23,853	526,057	513,005
Layers	15,947	15,519	396,147	377,606

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
	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2019	730	584,000	96	902,400	8.60	208,172	194	5,626
2020	740	599,400	94	827,200	10.00	240,580	196	5,880
2021	780	624,000	105	840,000	11.00	263,934	201	5,628
2022	850	663,000	130	1,066,000	13.00	310,089	211	6,119
2023	910	673,400	-	-	-	-	234	7,020

MEAT ANIMALS

Numbers, Production, Disposition, Price, and Income

Species	2019	2020	2021	2022
Hogs and Pigs	<i>Thousands</i>			
Number:				
Beginning Inventory: (Dec 1 preceding year)	9,200	9,300	8,800	8,000
Pig Crop: (December - November)	19,544	19,366	17,985	17,970
Inshipments	755	479	692	691
Marketings ¹	18,168	18,054	17,446	16,298
Farm Slaughter ²	1	1	1	2
Deaths	2,030	2,290	2,030	2,105
Production (Lbs) ³	4,502,285	4,596,947	4,252,542	4,160,771
Marketings (Lbs) ⁴	4,614,584	4,683,114	4,412,342	4,215,210
Value of Production (\$)	2,100,521	1,839,738	3,092,457	3,132,866
Cash Receipts from Sales (\$) ⁵	2,173,468	1,938,810	2,929,795	3,102,394
Value of Home Consumption (\$)	608	539	873	962
Gross Income (\$)	2,174,076	1,939,349	2,930,668	3,103,356
Ending Inventory December 1	9,300	8,800	8,000	8,300
Cattle and Calves				
Number:				
On hand January 1 (Total)	800	810	800	780
Calves Born	365	375	370	350
Inshipments	5	5	11	15
Marketings: ¹				
Cattle	203	216	226	232
Calves	120	134	144	141
Farm Slaughter: ²	1	1	1	2
Deaths:				
Cattle	15	17	13	14
Calves	22	23	18	17
Production: ³				
Total Cattle and Calves (Lbs)	296,820	294,548	294,790	273,555
Marketings (Lbs) ⁴	276,410	298,150	312,220	311,460
Value of Production (\$)	226,824	229,681	245,183	262,715
Cash Receipts from Sales (\$) ⁵	214,688	235,944	263,292	303,756
Value of Home Consumption (\$)	2,826	2,731	2,932	4,184
Gross Income (\$)	217,514	238,675	266,224	307,940
Ending Inventory (Total) (January 1 succeeding year)	810	800	780	740

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.

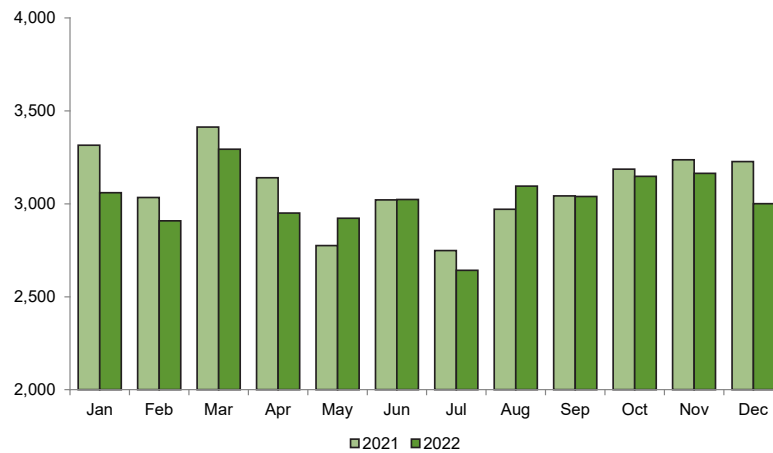
NORTH CAROLINA COMMERCIAL LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTER, 2022 ¹

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
	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Head</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>
January	6.8	8,380	0.1	23	(D)	(D)	1.7	114
February	7.8	9,518	0.1	26	(D)	(D)	1.5	102
March	8.7	10,673	0.1	43	(D)	(D)	1.9	142
April	7.9	9,629	0.1	28	(D)	(D)	2.4	165
May	8.0	9,778	0.1	19	(D)	(D)	1.9	125
June	8.8	10,917	0.1	28	(D)	(D)	1.9	137
July	6.7	8,170	0.1	17	(D)	(D)	2.7	188
August	8.3	10,081	0.1	15	(D)	(D)	1.8	122
September	7.8	9,600	0.1	16	(D)	(D)	2.1	143
October	7.6	9,376	0.1	24	(D)	(D)	2.1	137
November	6.8	8,356	0.1	23	(D)	(D)	2.1	134
December	5.9	7,239	0.1	34	(D)	(D)	2.5	160
Annual Total ²	91.0	111,717	1.0	295	(D)	(D)	24.8	1,670

(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.

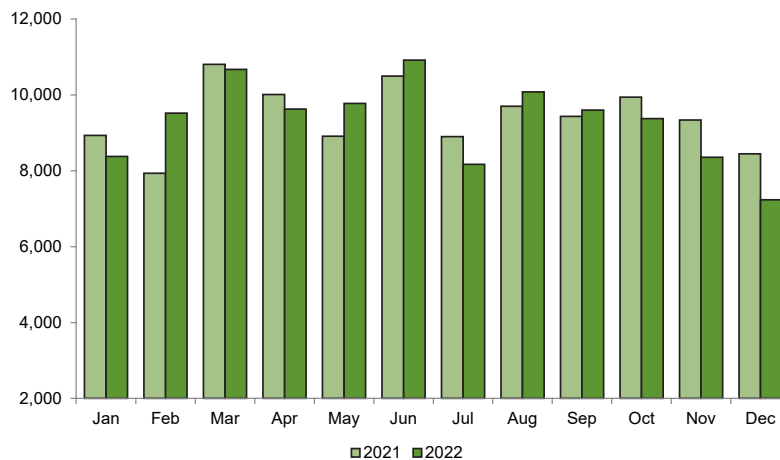
UNITED STATES COMMERCIAL HOG SLAUGHTER

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
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	873,600	6,901,400	3,857,883
2019	916,100	7,420,400	3,606,314
2020	961,300	7,882,700	2,822,007
2021	971,400	8,062,600	4,289,303
2022	976,200	8,102,500	6,887,125
US 2022¹	9,165,400	59,348,100	50,445,885

¹ Excludes states producing less than 500,000 broilers.

TURKEYS

Production and Value

Year	Number Raised	Pounds Produced	Value of Production
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	32,500	1,196,000	609,960
2019	32,000	1,203,200	696,653
2020	30,000	1,134,000	804,006
2021	30,000	1,167,000	958,107
2022	28,000	1,033,200	1,102,424
US 2022	210,000	6,655,358	7,101,269

EGGS

Production and Value

Year	Average Number Layers During Year	Average Eggs Laid Annually per Layer	Eggs Produced	Value of Production
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Millions</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	14,573	254	3,705	509,017
2019	14,986	253	3,791	443,693
2020	15,656	261	4,080	504,920
2021	15,729	261	4,098	513,312
2022	15,717	259	4,067	753,086
US 2022	379,304	289	109,514	19,352,439

CHICKENS

Lost, Sold, and Value of Sales¹

Year	Number Lost ²	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	4,060	17,211	112,901	7,113
2019	3,866	13,224	97,066	5,242
2020	3,958	15,066	108,629	2,716
2021	4,443	14,996	108,874	2,069
2022	4,246	15,647	111,560	10,710
US 2022	174,674	168,372	983,159	74,677

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
	<i>Thousands</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Thousand Pounds</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	10	33	330	63	5.76	1,901
2019	14	42	588	118	4.11	2,417
2020	12	38	456	123	5.50	2,508
2021	13	39	507	96	6.69	3,392
2022	13	39	507	198	6.79	3,443
US 2022⁵	2,667	47.0	125,331	23,309	2.96	370,980

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 equal production.

CATFISH OPERATIONS

State	Water Surface Acres During Jan 1–Jun 30		Total Sales All Sizes	
	2022	2023	2021	2022
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	
Alabama	14,900	14,100	105,704	103,969
Arkansas	3,800	3,400	24,795	26,671
California	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mississippi	34,100	33,100	260,169	277,944
North Carolina	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Texas	1,600	1,500	20,171	21,724
Other States ¹	3,900	3,755	16,522	16,731
United States	58,300	55,855	427,361	447,039

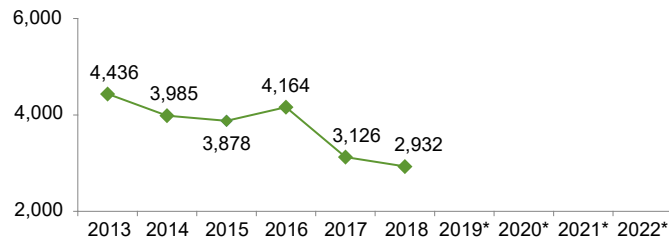
(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. ¹ Other States include state estimates not shown and states suppressed due to disclosure.

CATFISH Sales of Foodsize Fish

Year	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	1,400	2,500	1.16	2,900
2019	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2020	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2021	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2022	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
US 2022	205,995	328,896	1.28	421,575

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

CATFISH SALES (Thousand Dollars)



*2019, 2020, 2021 & 2022 withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

TROUT OPERATIONS

State	Value of Fish Sold		Value of Distributed Fish	
	2021	2022	2021	2022
	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>			
Arkansas	-	-	2,265	1,738
California	(D)	(D)	8,252	8,025
Colorado	3,602	3,074	8,582	9,038
Georgia	(D)	(D)	703	702
Idaho	33,715	43,414	13,975	14,100
Michigan	1,059	1,105	3,817	5,923
Missouri	(D)	3,568	3,678	4,051
New York	865	868	5,428	5,258
North Carolina	7,786	8,767	1,948	1,846
Oregon	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pennsylvania	7,134	7,368	13,991	15,412
Utah	1,128	1,419	8,760	6,888
Virginia	2,239	2,219	2,761	2,666
Washington	(D)	(D)	17,269	19,697
West Virginia	978	1,193	3,073	2,635
Wisconsin	1,694	1,752	3,139	3,455
Other States ¹	38,638	28,173	41,075	37,763
United States ²	98,838	102,920	138,716	139,197
United States ³	110,997	115,978	(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.

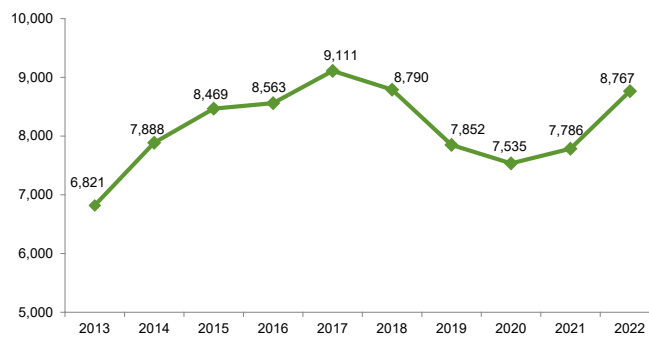
TROUT

Sales of Foodsize Fish or Larger ¹

Year	Number Sold	Pounds Sold	Price per Pound	Value of Sales
	<i>Thousands</i>		<i>Dollars</i>	
				<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
2018	3,640	4,000	1.90	7,600
2019	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2020	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
2021	3,100	3,450	1.96	6,762
2022	2,910	3,250	2.31	7,508
US 2022	27,205	43,255	2.19	94,749

¹ Twelve inches or longer.

TROUT SALES (Thousand Dollars)



HOGS AND PIGS

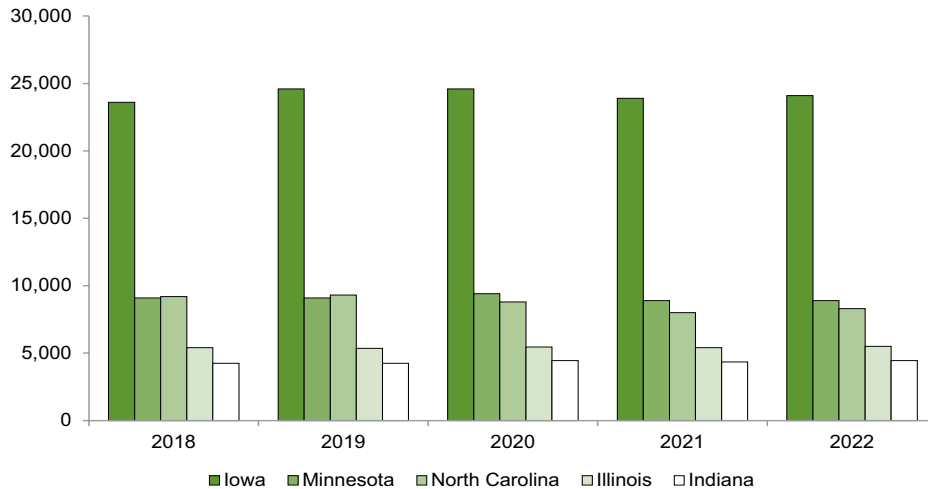
Number on Farms, December 1

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	
<i>Thousands</i>										
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	
2018	9,200	900	8,300	-	-	3,290	1,780	1,600	1,630	
2019	9,300	900	8,400	-	-	3,250	2,030	1,610	1,510	
2020	8,800	840	7,960	-	-	2,955	1,845	1,620	1,540	
2021	8,000	810	7,190	-	-	2,890	1,460	1,355	1,485	
2022	8,300	790	7,510	-	-	2,960	1,700	1,430	1,420	

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

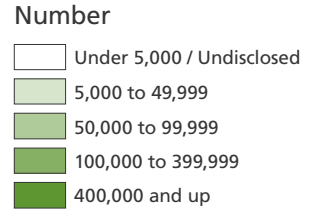
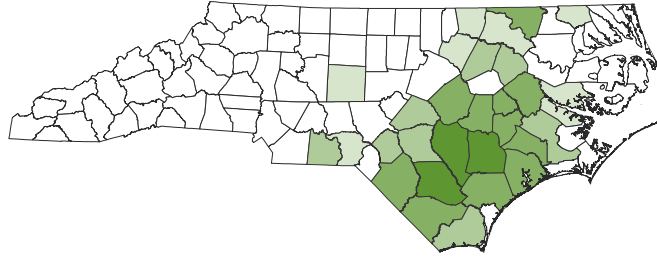
Counties	2021	2022	Counties	2021	2022
Alamance	*	*	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	*	*	Montgomery	(D)	(D)
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	(D)	(D)
Anson	42,000	52,000	Nash	51,000	53,000
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	100,000	110,000
Beaufort	24,000	23,000	Onslow	145,000	130,000
Bertie	(D)	(D)	Orange	*	*
Bladen	725,000	720,000	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	80,000	63,000	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	Pender	270,000	250,000
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	(D)	(D)
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	Person	2,500	4,400
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	Pitt	240,000	270,000
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	8,000	9,500
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	55,000	45,000
Catawba	*	*	Robeson	345,000	345,000
Chatham	(D)	*	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	(D)	(D)
Chowan	(D)	(D)	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	1,750,000	1,900,000
Cleveland	*	*	Scotland	(D)	(D)
Columbus	220,000	230,000	Stanly	(D)	*
Craven	62,000	69,000	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	85,000	90,000	Surry	(D)	(D)
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	*	*	Tyrrell	(D)	(D)
Davie	*	*	Union	(D)	(D)
Duplin	1,800,000	1,900,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	90,000	80,000	Warren	18,000	20,000
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	(D)	(D)
Franklin	23,000	13,000	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	*	*	Wayne	325,000	380,000
Gates	22,000	22,000	Wilkes	*	*
Graham	*	*	Wilson	(D)	(D)
Granville	800	1,200	Yadkin	(D)	(D)
Greene	330,000	330,000	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	500	2,000	Other Counties	396,200	347,900
Halifax	50,000	40,000			
Harnett	85,000	85,000	State Total	8,000,000	8,300,000
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	(D)	(D)			
Hoke	70,000	80,000			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	*	*			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	140,000	150,000			
Jones	220,000	230,000			
Lee	(D)	(D)			
Lenoir	225,000	255,000			
Lincoln	*	*			
McDowell	*	*			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	(D)	(D)			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

* Less than 1,000 head. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

HOGS

Number on Farms, December 1, 2022

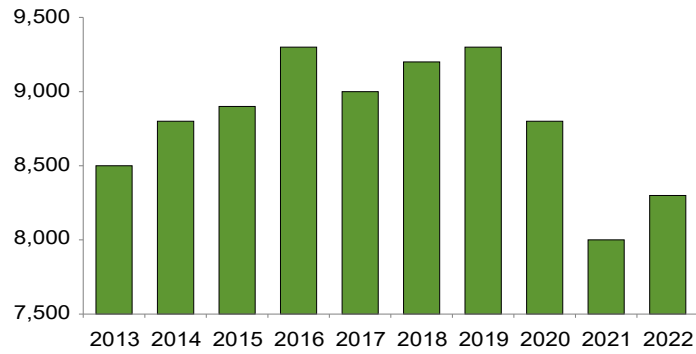
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin ²	1,900,000
Sampson ²	1,900,000
Bladen	720,000
Wayne	380,000
Robeson	345,000
Greene	330,000
Pitt	270,000
Lenoir	255,000
Pender	250,000
Columbus ³	230,000
Jones ³	230,000



¹ Ranking of published counties only.
² Ranked 1st, ³ Ranked 10th

HOGS

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



ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1

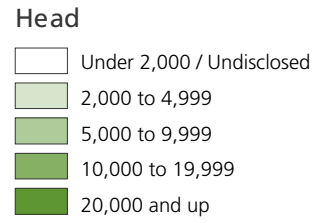
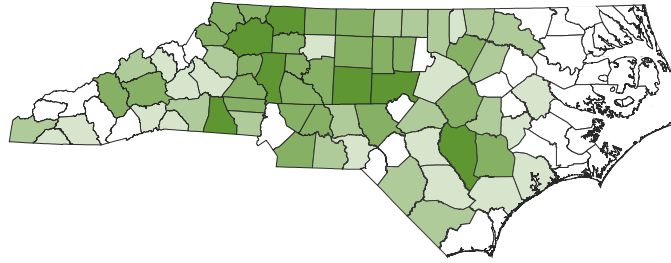
Counties	2022	2023	Counties	2022	2023
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	15,400	14,600	Mitchell	1,600	1,500
Alexander	18,500	17,900	Montgomery	6,600	6,200
Alleghany	18,500	17,500	Moore	11,000	10,400
Anson	9,400	8,900	Nash	6,200	5,900
Ashe	17,400	16,500	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	1,700	1,600	Northampton	1,600	1,500
Beaufort	300	300	Onslow	2,100	2,000
Bertie	700	700	Orange	10,600	10,000
Bladen	4,100	3,800	Pamlico	100	100
Brunswick	1,400	1,300	Pasquotank	300	300
Buncombe	13,800	13,100	Pender	2,900	2,700
Burke	4,900	4,600	Perquimans	700	600
Cabarrus	13,400	12,700	Person	7,000	6,700
Caldwell	6,200	5,900	Pitt	2,500	2,400
Camden	300	300	Polk	3,100	3,000
Carteret	400	300	Randolph	42,000	39,500
Caswell	9,100	8,600	Richmond	2,700	2,600
Catawba	14,200	13,500	Robeson	5,400	5,200
Chatham	32,500	31,000	Rockingham	12,500	11,800
Cherokee	9,600	9,100	Rowan	21,000	19,700
Chowan	900	800	Rutherford	7,900	7,400
Clay	2,300	2,200	Sampson	21,500	20,500
Cleveland	21,500	20,500	Scotland	900	800
Columbus	5,400	5,100	Stanly	14,700	14,000
Craven	1,200	1,200	Stokes	11,800	11,200
Cumberland	3,000	2,900	Surry	26,000	24,500
Currituck	200	200	Swain	500	500
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,600	1,600
Davidson	12,200	11,500	Tyrrell	400	400
Davie	10,700	10,200	Union	19,500	18,600
Duplin	20,500	19,200	Vance	2,800	2,600
Durham	1,800	1,700	Wake	4,300	4,000
Edgecombe	1,900	1,800	Warren	6,600	6,300
Forsyth	3,700	3,500	Washington	700	700
Franklin	13,500	12,900	Watauga	12,900	12,300
Gaston	6,600	6,300	Wayne	8,500	8,000
Gates	400	400	Wilkes	30,500	29,000
Graham	1,500	1,400	Wilson	1,800	1,700
Granville	7,700	7,300	Yadkin	16,800	16,000
Greene	1,600	1,500	Yancey	4,400	4,200
Guilford	10,600	10,000	Other Counties	100	100
Halifax	5,300	5,000	State Total	780,000	740,000
Harnett	6,500	6,200			
Haywood	11,100	10,600			
Henderson	3,200	3,000			
Hertford	300	200			
Hoke	1,300	1,200			
Hyde	200	200			
Iredell	44,500	42,500			
Jackson	1,600	1,600			
Johnston	13,400	12,700			
Jones	800	800			
Lee	3,300	3,100			
Lenoir	3,700	3,500			
Lincoln	16,000	15,200			
McDowell	3,100	2,900			
Macon	3,100	3,000			
Madison	6,100	5,800			
Martin	1,500	1,400			
Mecklenburg	1,900	1,800			

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ALL CATTLE

Number on Farms, January 1, 2023

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Iredell	42,500
Randolph	39,500
Chatham	31,000
Wilkes	29,000
Surry	24,500
Cleveland ²	20,500
Sampson ²	20,500
Rowan	19,700
Duplin	19,200
Union	18,600

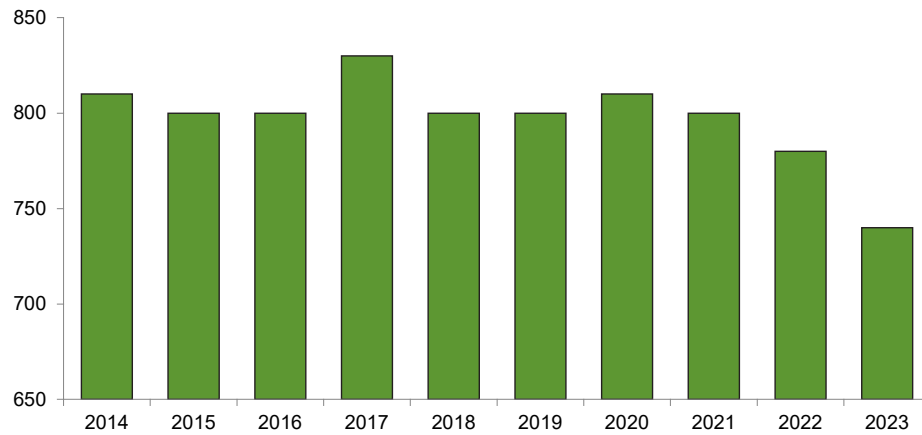


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² Ranked 6th.

ALL CATTLE

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



BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1

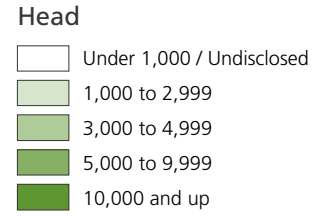
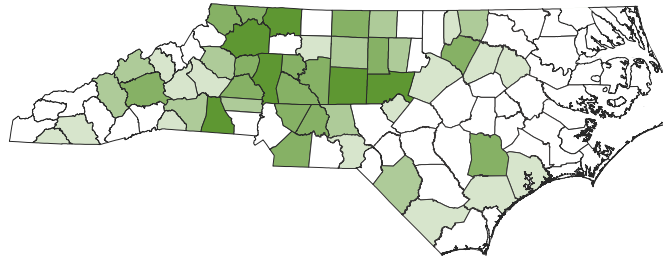
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	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	6,600	6,200	Mitchell	1,000	900
Alexander	7,700	7,200	Montgomery	3,200	3,000
Alleghany	5,600	5,300	Moore	(D)	(D)
Anson	(D)	(D)	Nash	2,900	2,700
Ashe	7,300	6,900	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	1,000	900	Northampton	900	800
Beaufort	300	200	Onslow	1,400	1,300
Bertie	300	300	Orange	5,000	4,700
Bladen	(D)	(D)	Pamlico	(D)	(D)
Brunswick	(D)	(D)	Pasquotank	200	200
Buncombe	7,300	6,900	Pender	1,500	1,500
Burke	2,700	2,600	Perquimans	400	400
Cabarrus	6,600	6,200	Person	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	3,400	3,200	Pitt	(D)	(D)
Camden	200	200	Polk	1,700	1,600
Carteret	200	200	Randolph	16,000	15,100
Caswell	3,900	3,700	Richmond	1,500	1,400
Catawba	7,200	6,800	Robeson	3,500	3,300
Chatham	15,700	15,000	Rockingham	5,500	5,200
Cherokee	(D)	(D)	Rowan	8,500	8,000
Chowan	200	200	Rutherford	4,500	4,200
Clay	1,200	1,100	Sampson	(D)	(D)
Cleveland	10,600	10,000	Scotland	500	500
Columbus	3,000	2,800	Stanly	8,000	7,600
Craven	(D)	(D)	Stokes	(D)	(D)
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	Surry	11,600	11,000
Currituck	(D)	(D)	Swain	300	300
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,000	900
Davidson	5,700	5,400	Tyrrell	300	300
Davie	5,700	5,400	Union	10,800	10,300
Duplin	11,600	11,000	Vance	1,400	1,300
Durham	(D)	(D)	Wake	2,000	1,900
Edgecombe	1,100	1,000	Warren	3,800	3,600
Forsyth	2,400	2,300	Washington	100	100
Franklin	5,700	5,400	Watauga	(D)	(D)
Gaston	(D)	(D)	Wayne	(D)	(D)
Gates	(D)	(D)	Wilkes	13,500	12,700
Graham	(D)	(D)	Wilson	900	900
Granville	(D)	(D)	Yadkin	(D)	(D)
Greene	900	800	Yancey	2,600	2,400
Guilford	4,600	4,300	Other Counties	84,400	80,000
Halifax	(D)	(D)	State Total	361,000	341,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)			
Haywood	4,700	4,400			
Henderson	(D)	(D)			
Hertford	200	100			
Hoke	700	700			
Hyde	100	100			
Iredell	12,800	12,100			
Jackson	900	800			
Johnston	(D)	(D)			
Jones	500	500			
Lee	1,900	1,800			
Lenoir	(D)	(D)			
Lincoln	4,700	4,400			
McDowell	1,300	1,200			
Macon	2,000	1,900			
Madison	3,600	3,400			
Martin	(D)	(D)			
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)			

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BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1, 2023

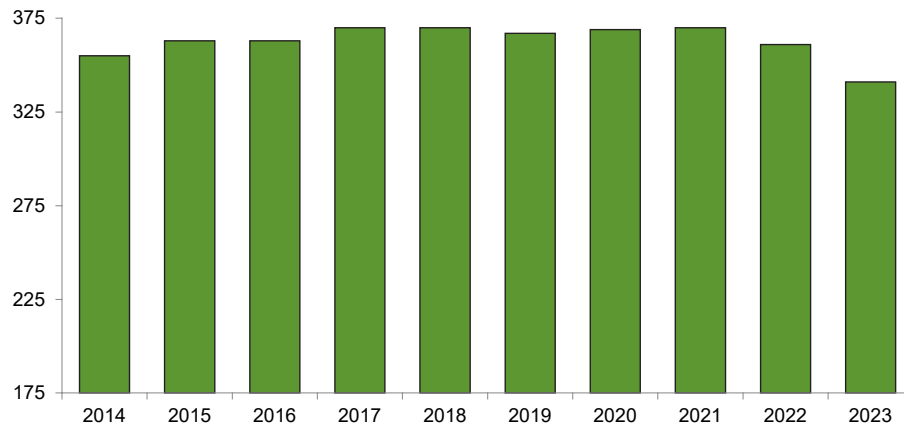
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Randolph	15,100
Chatham	15,000
Wilkes	12,700
Iredell	12,100
Duplin ²	11,000
Surry ²	11,000
Union	10,300
Cleveland	10,000
Rowan	8,000
Stanly	7,600



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² Ranked 5th.

BEEF COWS

Number on Farms, January 1 (Thousand Head)



MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1

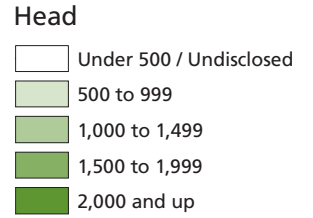
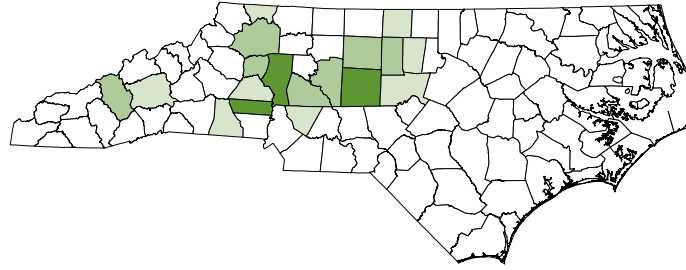
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	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	1,300	1,300	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	1,000	1,000	Montgomery	*	*
Alleghany	900	900	Moore	*	*
Anson	(D)	(D)	Nash	*	*
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	*	*
Bertie	*	*	Orange	500	500
Bladen	*	*	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	800	800	Pender	*	*
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	600	600	Person	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	*	*	Pitt	*	*
Camden	*	*	Polk	100	100
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	6,700	6,700
Caswell	700	700	Richmond	*	*
Catawba	600	600	Robeson	*	*
Chatham	600	600	Rockingham	300	300
Cherokee	(D)	(D)	Rowan	1,200	1,200
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	(D)	(D)
Cleveland	600	600	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	*	*	Stanly	300	300
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	*	*	Surry	100	100
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	1,100	1,100	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	300	300	Union	100	*
Duplin	*	*	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	400	400
Edgecombe	*	*	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	*	*	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	(D)	(D)	Wayne	(D)	(D)
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	1,200	1,200
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	(D)	(D)	Yadkin	(D)	(D)
Greene	*	*	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	1,000	1,000	Other Counties	5,200	5,300
Halifax	(D)	(D)	State Total	39,000	39,000
Harnett	*	*			
Haywood	1,100	1,100			
Henderson	(D)	(D)			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	*	*			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	9,200	9,200			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	*	*			
Jones	*	*			
Lee	*	*			
Lenoir	*	*			
Lincoln	2,800	2,800			
McDowell	300	300			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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MILK COWS

Number on Farms, January 1, 2023

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Iredell	9,200
Randolph	6,700
Lincoln	2,800
Alamance	1,300
Rowan ²	1,200
Wilkes ²	1,200
Davidson ³	1,100
Haywood ³	1,100
Alexander ⁴	1,000
Guilford ⁴	1,000

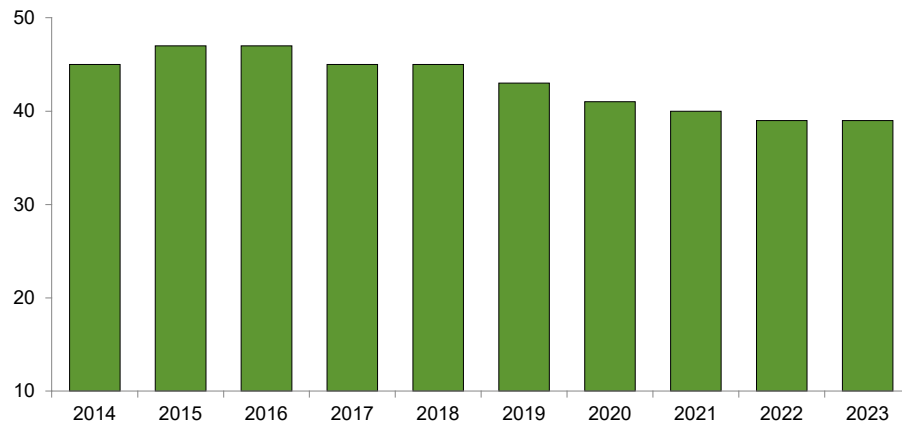


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MILK COWS

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



TURKEYS

Number Raised

Counties	2021	2022	Counties	2021	2022
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	*	*	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	*	*	Montgomery	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	*	*
Anson	1,150,000	1,100,000	Nash	*	*
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	1,800,000	1,650,000
Bertie	*	*	Orange	*	*
Bladen	1,550,000	1,400,000	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	Pender	230,000	215,000
Burke	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	Person	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	Pitt	(D)	(D)
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	*	*
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	*	*
Catawba	*	*	Robeson	(D)	(D)
Chatham	(D)	(D)	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	*	*
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	*	*
Clay	*	*	Sampson	7,150,000	6,700,000
Cleveland	380,000	355,000	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	Stanly	735,000	685,000
Craven	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Cumberland	725,000	680,000	Surry	*	*
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Davidson	*	*	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	*	*	Union	3,900,000	3,650,000
Duplin	3,450,000	3,200,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	3,000	3,000
Edgecombe	*	*	Warren	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	*	*	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	*	*	Wayne	4,800,000	4,500,000
Gates	*	*	Wilkes	*	*
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	*	*	Yadkin	*	*
Greene	1,050,000	995,000	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	*	*	Other Counties	734,000	682,000
Halifax	*	*	State Total	30,000,000	28,000,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)			
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	68,000	65,000			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	*	*			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	460,000	430,000			
Jones	365,000	340,000			
Lee	*	*			
Lenoir	1,450,000	1,350,000			
Lincoln	*	*			
McDowell	*	*			
Macon	*	*			
Madison	*	*			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

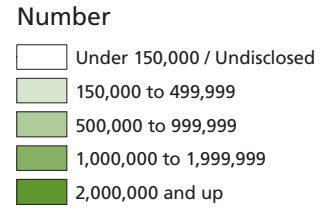
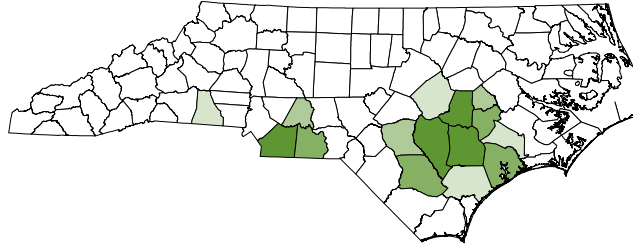
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TURKEYS

Number Raised, 2022

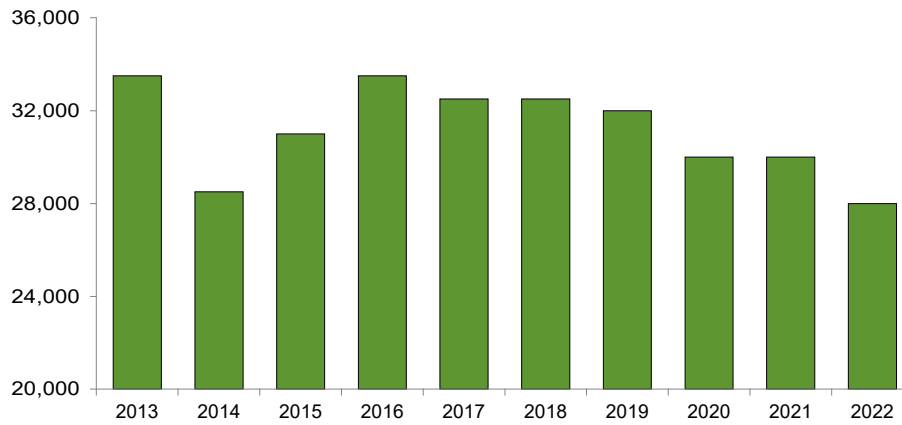
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Sampson	6,700,000
Wayne	4,500,000
Union	3,650,000
Duplin	3,200,000
Onslow	1,650,000
Bladen	1,400,000
Lenoir	1,350,000
Anson	1,100,000
Greene	995,000
Stanly	685,000

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TURKEYS

Number Raised (Thousand Head)



BROILERS

Number Produced

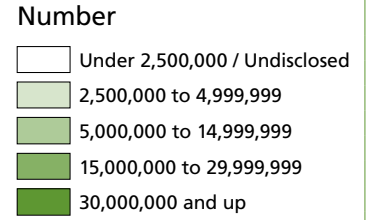
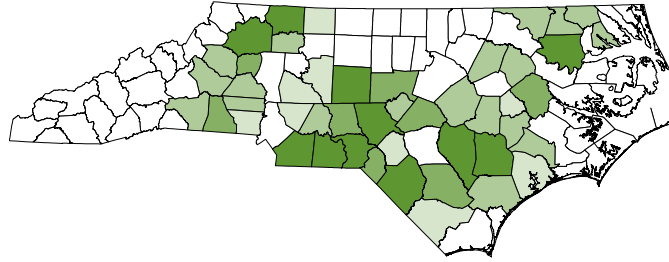
Counties	2021	2022	Counties	2021	2022
	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	1,450,000	1,450,000	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	29,200,000	29,400,000	Montgomery	27,900,000	28,000,000
Alleghany	3,500	4,000	Moore	31,300,000	31,500,000
Anson	57,900,000	58,200,000	Nash	7,250,000	7,300,000
Ashe	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	8,750,000	8,800,000
Beaufort	(D)	(D)	Onslow	3,100,000	3,100,000
Bertie	44,500,000	44,700,000	Orange	4,900	5,000
Bladen	25,200,000	25,300,000	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	5,400	6,000	Pender	9,150,000	9,200,000
Burke	11,500,000	11,500,000	Perquimans	7,750,000	7,800,000
Cabarrus	3,800,000	3,800,000	Person	*	*
Caldwell	8,300,000	8,350,000	Pitt	17,900,000	18,000,000
Camden	*	*	Polk	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Randolph	40,900,000	41,100,000
Caswell	*	*	Richmond	37,200,000	37,300,000
Catawba	11,400,000	11,400,000	Robeson	44,400,000	44,600,000
Chatham	21,600,000	21,700,000	Rockingham	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Rowan	3,800,000	3,850,000
Chowan	1,450,000	1,500,000	Rutherford	9,600,000	9,700,000
Clay	*	*	Sampson	40,400,000	40,600,000
Cleveland	24,100,000	24,200,000	Scotland	21,900,000	22,000,000
Columbus	3,200,000	3,250,000	Stanly	8,550,000	8,600,000
Craven	*	*	Stokes	4,200,000	4,200,000
Cumberland	2,350,000	2,350,000	Surry	35,000,000	35,200,000
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,700	1,700
Davidson	4,850,000	4,900,000	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	*	*	Union	53,100,000	53,300,000
Duplin	92,000,000	92,500,000	Vance	*	*
Durham	*	*	Wake	24,000	24,000
Edgecombe	13,100,000	13,200,000	Warren	(D)	(D)
Forsyth	*	*	Washington	*	*
Franklin	990,000	990,000	Watauga	*	*
Gaston	3,650,000	3,700,000	Wayne	11,500,000	11,600,000
Gates	10,200,000	10,200,000	Wilkes	67,800,000	68,100,000
Graham	*	*	Wilson	(D)	(D)
Granville	*	*	Yadkin	8,100,000	8,150,000
Greene	3,750,000	3,750,000	Yancey	2,800	2,800
Guilford	(D)	(D)	Other Counties	5,711,500	5,760,100
Halifax	(D)	(D)			
Harnett	24,300,000	24,400,000	State Total	971,400,000	976,200,000
Haywood	*	*			
Henderson	*	*			
Hertford	12,300,000	12,400,000			
Hoke	4,350,000	4,400,000			
Hyde	*	*			
Iredell	1,850,000	1,850,000			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	6,750,000	6,800,000			
Jones	13,000,000	13,000,000			
Lee	8,500,000	8,550,000			
Lenoir	9,350,000	9,400,000			
Lincoln	7,200,000	7,250,000			
McDowell	1,900,000	1,900,000			
Macon	1,700	1,800			
Madison	4,500	4,600			
Martin	2,100,000	2,100,000			
Mecklenburg	*	*			

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BROILERS

Number Produced, 2022

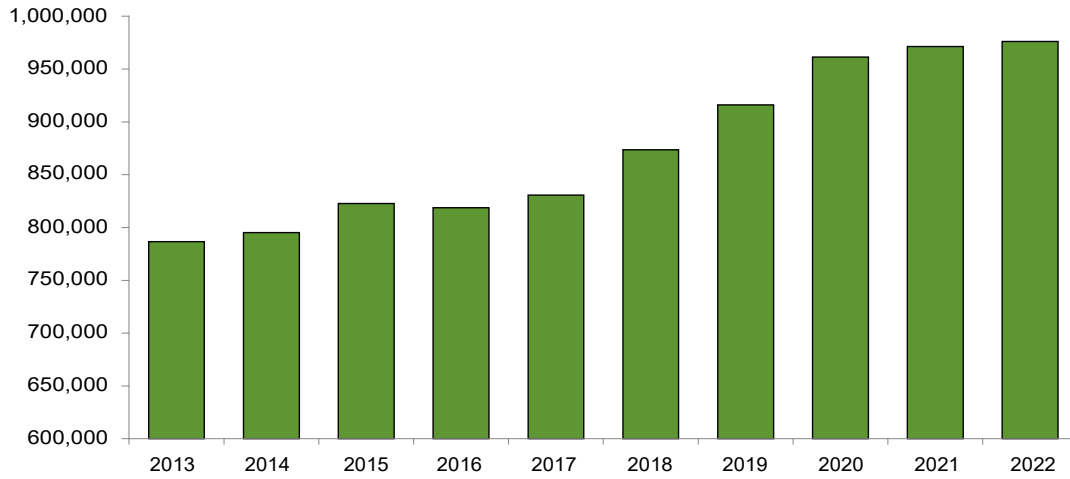
Leading Counties ¹	Number
Duplin	92,500,000
Wilkes	68,100,000
Anson	58,200,000
Union	53,300,000
Bertie	44,700,000
Robeson	44,600,000
Randolph	41,100,000
Sampson	40,600,000
Richmond	37,300,000
Surry	35,200,000



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BROILERS

Number Produced (Thousand Head)



LAYERS

Number on Farms, December 1

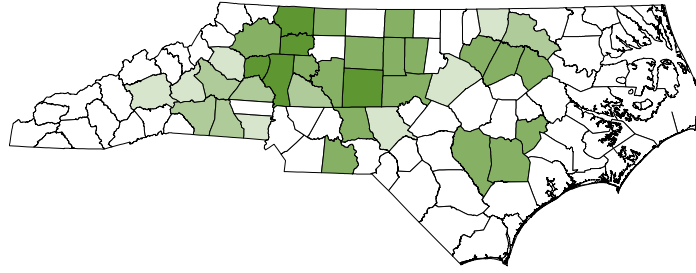
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	<i>Head</i>			<i>Head</i>	
Alamance	415,000	410,000	Mitchell	*	*
Alexander	850,000	830,000	Montgomery	120,000	115,000
Alleghany	*	*	Moore	37,000	36,000
Anson	345,000	335,000	Nash	320,000	310,000
Ashe	1,500	1,500	New Hanover	*	*
Avery	*	*	Northampton	(D)	(D)
Beaufort	*	*	Onslow	3,500	3,400
Bertie	(D)	(D)	Orange	180,000	175,000
Bladen	(D)	(D)	Pamlico	*	*
Brunswick	2,000	1,900	Pasquotank	*	*
Buncombe	17,700	17,400	Pender	(D)	(D)
Burke	65,000	64,000	Perquimans	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	Person	1,300	1,200
Caldwell	12,500	12,500	Pitt	1,100	1,100
Camden	(D)	*	Polk	1,800	1,700
Carteret	1,200	1,200	Randolph	700,000	685,000
Caswell	275,000	270,000	Richmond	(D)	(D)
Catawba	79,000	77,000	Robeson	2,100	2,000
Chatham	285,000	275,000	Rockingham	(D)	(D)
Cherokee	(D)	(D)	Rowan	65,000	63,000
Chowan	*	*	Rutherford	68,000	67,000
Clay	*	*	Sampson	355,000	345,000
Cleveland	100,000	95,000	Scotland	*	*
Columbus	1,800	1,800	Stanly	(D)	(D)
Craven	(D)	(D)	Stokes	125,000	120,000
Cumberland	1,900	1,800	Surry	680,000	670,000
Currituck	*	*	Swain	*	*
Dare	*	*	Transylvania	1,200	1,200
Davidson	135,000	130,000	Tyrrell	*	*
Davie	155,000	150,000	Union	(D)	(D)
Duplin	480,000	470,000	Vance	1,300	1,300
Durham	4,100	4,000	Wake	9,700	9,500
Edgecombe	110,000	105,000	Warren	12,800	12,500
Forsyth	2,300	2,200	Washington	*	*
Franklin	155,000	155,000	Watauga	2,900	2,900
Gaston	15,000	12,000	Wayne	(D)	(D)
Gates	(D)	(D)	Wilkes	475,000	460,000
Graham	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Granville	3,400	3,300	Yadkin	1,900,000	1,850,000
Greene	*	*	Yancey	*	*
Guilford	340,000	335,000	Other Counties	6,164,700	5,986,700
Halifax	100,000	98,000			
Harnett	2,800	2,700	State Total	15,947,000	15,519,000
Haywood	2,100	2,000			
Henderson	3,700	3,600			
Hertford	*	*			
Hoke	(D)	(D)			
Hyde	(D)	(D)			
Iredell	595,000	575,000			
Jackson	*	*			
Johnston	(D)	(D)			
Jones	*	*			
Lee	(D)	(D)			
Lenoir	135,000	130,000			
Lincoln	4,000	3,900			
Mcdowell	18,000	17,400			
Macon	2,000	1,900			
Madison	3,300	3,200			
Martin	*	*			
Mecklenburg	1,300	1,200			

* Less than 1,000 Head. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

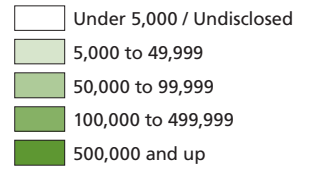
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Number on Farms, December 1, 2022

Leading Counties ¹	Number
Yadkin	1,850,000
Alexander	830,000
Randolph	685,000
Surry	670,000
Iredell	575,000
Duplin	470,000
Wilkes	460,000
Alamance	410,000
Sampson	345,000
Anson ²	335,000
Guilford ²	335,000



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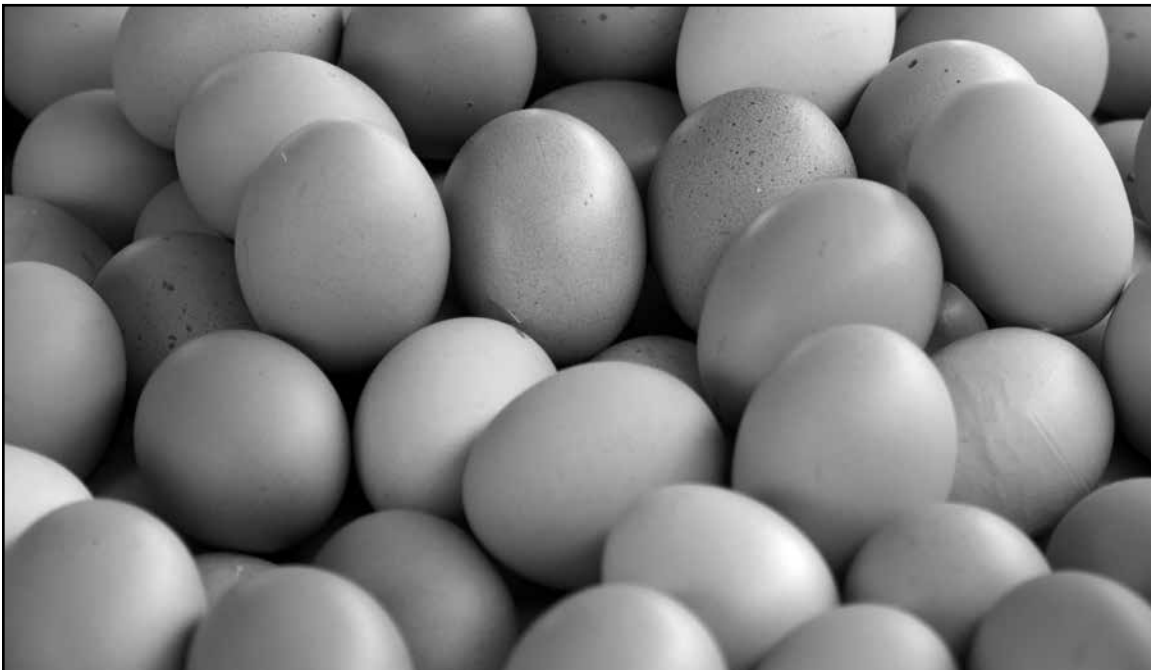
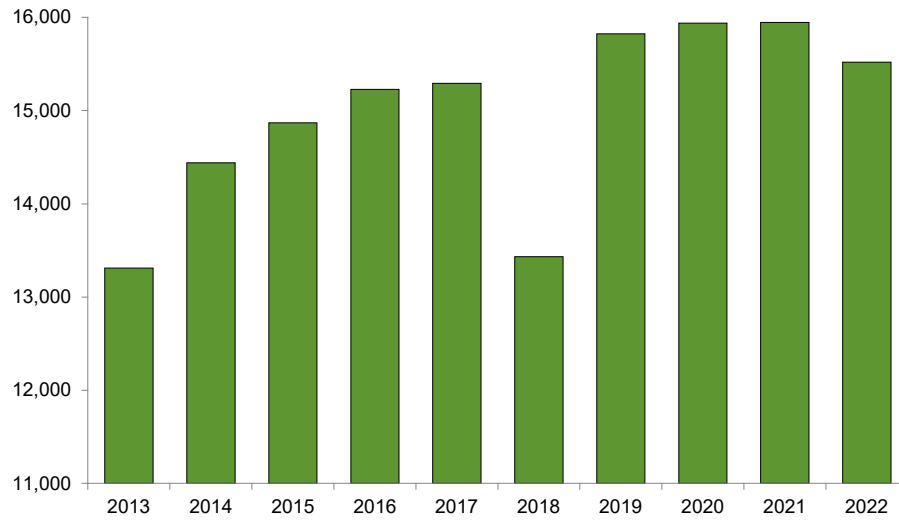


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Number on Farms, December 1 (*Thousand Head*)







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CROPS



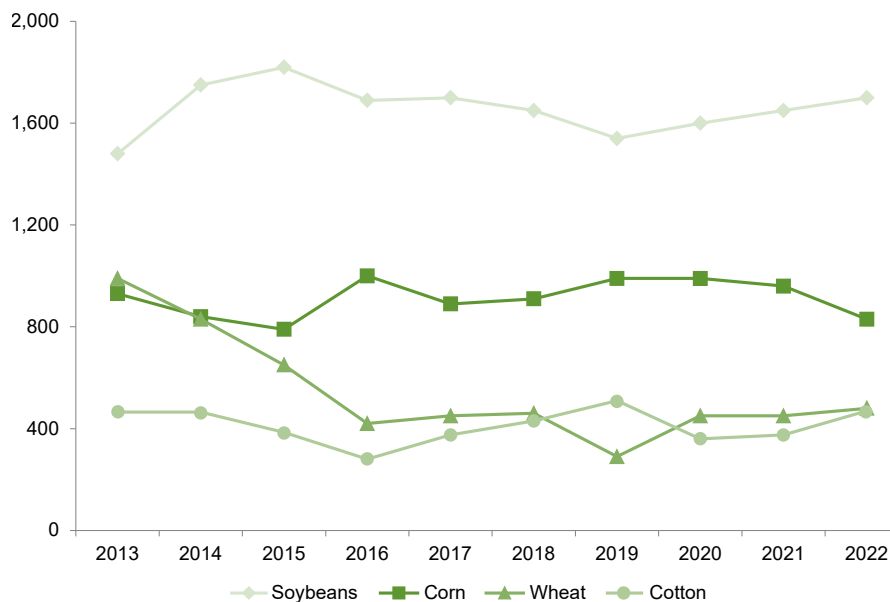
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COUNTY ESTIMATES
FRUITS & VEGETABLES



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
Irish 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
			<i>Thousands</i>				<i>Thousands</i>	
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu.	1924	1981	75	2011	81.0	1981	4,125
Corn for Grain	Bu.	1866	1899	2,726	2021	149.0	1982	155,430
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1983	152	2014	19.0	1984	2,240
Cotton: Upland ¹	Lb.	1866	1926	1,802	2022	1,049.0	2001	1,673
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	2001	559
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1945	1,374	2018	2.7	2018	2,210
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1957	88	2018	3.9	1957	185
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1945	1,274	2018	2.7	2018	2,187
Oats	Bu.	1866	1889	542	2011	80.0	1956	19,680
Peanuts	Lb.	1909	1945	320	2019	4,400.0	1981	555,560
Potatoes	Cwt.	1866	1943	110	2013	240.0	1946	7,774
Rye	Bu.	1866	1918	90	1997	28.0	1988	780
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	2017	40.0	2014	69,200
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	1868	2021	105	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:								
Blueberries	Lb.	1972	2019	8.7	2014	7,070	2015	49,900

¹Production in 480lb bales. ²Apple, grape, peach and strawberry estimates have been discontinued.

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
			<i>Thousands</i>				<i>Thousands</i>	
FIELD CROPS:								
Barley	Bu.	1924	1924	5	1932	15.0	1924	90
Corn for Grain	Bu.	1866	2001	625	1881	9.5	1866	15,912
Corn for Silage	Ton	1919	1919	4	1932	4.5	1919	26
Cotton: Upland ¹	Lb.	1866	1978	42	1878	124.0	1983	43
Cottonseed	Ton	1866	-	-	-	-	1979	15
Hay: All	Ton	1909	1973	325	1925	0.6	1911	398
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	1919	1921	3	1921	1.4	1921	4
Hay: Other	Ton	1919	1973	312	1925	0.6	1925	313
Oats	Bu.	1866	2019	7	1871	8.0	2019	497
Peanuts	Lb.	1909	2009	66	1909	675.0	1911	119,350
Potatoes	Cwt.	1866	1867	10	1911	29.0	1866	444
Rye	Bu.	1866	1971	14	1871	2.0	1871	122
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	2022	0.16	1922	500.0	2022	272
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	1919	2020	102.0	1924	585.0	2020	184,000
Wheat	Bu.	1866	1966	165	1885	4.0	1866	1,800
FRUITS AND NUTS: ²								
Blueberries	Lb.	1972	2001	2.7	1976	440	1976	1,496

¹ Production in 480-lb bales. ² Apple, grape and peach and strawberry estimates have been discontinued.

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ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2021					
		Planted	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		<i>Thousands Acres</i>		<i>Units</i>	<i>Thousand Units</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
FIELD CROPS							
Barley	Bu.	13	7	70	490	4.35	2,132
Corn for Grain ¹	Bu.	960	905	149	134,845	6.30	849,524
Corn for Silage ²	Ton	-	35	18	630	-	-
Cotton, Upland ³	Lb.	375	365	1,017	773	0.942	349,520
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	218	221.00	48,178
Hay: All	Ton	-	683	2.11	1,440	128.00	184,794
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	8	2.75	22	214.00	4,708
Hay: Other	Ton	-	675	2.1	1,418	127.00	180,086
Oats	Bu.	33	14	68	952	3.90	3,713
Peanuts	Lb.	115	114	4,350	495,900	0.253	125,463
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,650	1,640	40	65,600	13.20	865,920
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	119.2	2,049	244,270	2.00	488,543
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	0.2	1,600	320	2.01	643
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	119	2,050	243,950	2.00	487,900
Wheat	Bu.	450	345	56	19,320	7.16	138,331
FRUIT ⁴							
Blueberries	Lb.	-	7,400	4,820	34,730	1.58	54,710
VEGETABLES ⁴							
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,400	2,200	230	486	44.60	21,687
Cucumbers	Cwt.	10,200	10,100	155	1,564	18.90	29,602
Pumpkins	Cwt.	3,800	3,700	79	291	25.00	7,271
Squash	Cwt.	3,600	3,500	125	438	21.50	9,408
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	105,000	104,700	175	17,663	13.10	231,846
Watermelons	Cwt.	9,400	9,300	210	1,953	14.40	28,072

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

ANNUAL CROP SUMMARY

Crops	Unit	2022					
		Planted	Harvested	Yield per Acre	Production	Price per Unit	Value
		<i>Thousands Acres</i>		<i>Units</i>	<i>Thousand Units</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Thousand Dollars</i>
FIELD CROPS ⁴							
Barley	Bu.	16	11	69	759	5.30	4,023
Corn for Grain ¹	Bu.	830	785	126	98,910	7.35	726,989
Corn for Silage ²	Ton	-	30	14	420	-	-
Cotton, Upland ³	Lb.	470	460	1,049	1,005	0.912	437,760
Cottonseed	Ton	-	-	-	295	282.00	82,626
Hay: All	Ton	-	656	2.21	1,448	137.00	198,440
Hay: Alfalfa	Ton	-	6	3	18	220.00	3,960
Hay: Other	Ton	-	650	2.2	1,430	136.00	194,480
Oats	Bu.	40	11	77	847	4.70	3,981
Peanuts	Lb.	117	116	4,400	510,400	0.266	135,766
Soybeans for Beans	Bu.	1,700	1,690	38.5	65,065	14.60	949,949
Tobacco: All	Lb.	-	116.16	2,149	249,672	2.10	524,349
Tobacco: Burley	Lb.	-	0.16	1,700	272	2.24	609
Tobacco: Flue-cured	Lb.	-	116	2,150	249,400	2.10	523,740
Wheat	Bu.	480	375	64	24,000	8.40	201,600
FRUIT ⁴							
Blueberries	Lb.	-	7,500	5,080	37,950	1.84	69,650
VEGETABLES ⁴							
Bell Peppers	Cwt.	2,200	2,100	180	363	74.20	26,919
Cucumbers	Cwt.	8,600	8,500	170	1,444	18.70	27,054
Pumpkins	Cwt.	3,600	3,500	205	718	23.30	16,750
Squash	Cwt.	3,300	3,200	125	400	37.50	14,966
Sweet Potatoes	Cwt.	84,000	83,700	185	15,485	14.50	225,005
Watermelons	Cwt.	7,700	7,600	310	2,354	23.80	56,016

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

GRAIN STOCKS

Year	On-Farm Stocks				Off-Farm Stocks ¹				Total Stocks All Positions			
	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1	Mar 1	Jun 1	Sep 1	Dec 1
<i>Thousand Bushels</i>												
CORN												
2018	17,000	4,100	1,500	29,000	34,227	18,418	6,971	38,979	51,227	22,518	8,471	67,979
2019	14,000	5,600	2,300	27,000	29,964	14,602	9,276	39,035	43,964	20,202	11,576	66,035
2020	16,000	7,000	1,000	31,000	34,348	17,522	4,299	32,474	50,348	24,522	5,299	63,474
2021	12,500	6,100	1,400	42,000	29,092	19,432	6,873	47,582	41,592	25,532	8,273	89,582
2022	15,000	6,200	1,200	29,000	35,750	18,618	11,321	31,750	50,750	24,818	12,521	60,750
SOYBEANS												
2018	*	*	*	*	13,389	7,820	(D)	9,825	*	*	*	*
2019	*	*	*	*	11,860	6,655	2,695	12,761	*	*	*	*
2020	*	*	*	*	10,612	(D)	(D)	16,512	*	*	*	*
2021	*	*	*	*	18,219	(D)	1,990	21,300	*	*	*	*
2022	*	*	*	*	18,342	(D)	(D)	18,891	*	*	*	*
WHEAT												
2018	900	100	1,800	1,200	6,606	2,879	13,548	9,053	7,506	2,979	15,348	10,253
2019	1,050	210	2,600	450	5,924	4,218	8,465	5,931	6,974	4,428	11,065	6,381
2020	250	120	3,500	1,500	4,392	2,065	9,252	6,515	4,642	2,185	12,752	8,015
2021	710	150	2,200	1,300	4,973	2,696	7,527	4,052	5,683	2,846	9,727	5,352
2022	620	180	4,600	1,500	3,781	2,263	7,068	5,310	4,401	2,443	11,668	6,810

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
<i>Thousand Tons</i>		
2018	215	1,360
2019	235	1,300
2020	180	1,120
2021	190	950
2022	150	1,000

GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY

On-Farm and Off-Farm Facilities, December 1

Year	Off-Farm Facilities	Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity	Rated On-Farm Storage Capacity
<i>Number</i>	<i>Thousand Bushels</i>		
2018	172	103,000	105,000
2019	172	103,000	105,000
2020	171	103,000	105,000
2021	171	105,000	105,000
2022	170	110,000	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
2019	2	6	89	97	3	6	89	98
2020	3	4	89	96	5	8	83	96
2021	3	7	84	94	3	6	88	97
2022	3	8	84	95	3	6	86	95
2023	3	7	86	96	3	8	86	97

SELECTED FLORICULTURE CROPS

Operations with \$100,000 + Sales

Plant	Unit	Quantity Sold		Total Sales	
		2021	2022	2021	2022
		<i>Thousand Units</i>		<i>Thousand Dollars</i>	
ANNUAL BEDDING & GARDEN PLANTS					
Begonias	Flats	332	249	3,751	2,818
	Hanging Baskets	145	67	861	558
	Pots (All Sizes)	1,042	1,497	1,843	2,501
Geraniums, from Cuttings	Hanging Baskets	347	278	2,008	1,559
	Pots (All Sizes)	1,241	1,174	4,457	4,884
Impatiens, New Guinea	Flats	13	12	313	314
	Hanging Baskets	223	66	1,297	374
	Pots (All Sizes)	621	497	1,666	1,786
Marigolds	Flats	183	130	1,723	1,250
	Pots (All Sizes)	1,161	1,117	1,867	2,218
Pansies & Violas	Flats	644	682	7,428	8,093
	Hanging Baskets	70	15	360	103
	Pots (All Sizes)	3,291	2,212	5,420	4,464
Petunias	Flats	331	148	3,327	1,505
	Hanging Baskets	416	306	2,484	1,861
	Pots (All Sizes)	2,695	1,827	4,631	3,809
Other Flowering & Foliar	Flats	837	470	8,639	5,129
	Hanging Baskets	747	687	4,423	4,010
	Pots (All Sizes)	10,851	6,165	25,248	17,027
Vegetable Type, Herbs	Flats	6	24	98	595
	Pots (All Sizes)	66	90	231	422
Vegetable Type, Other Classes	Flats	272	272	4,031	3,925
	Pots (All Sizes)	145	149	663	692
Vegetable Type, Peppers	Flats	9	13	120	191
	Pots (All Sizes)	10	(D)	28	(D)
Vegetable Type, Tomatoes	Flats	41	51	469	658
FLOWERING & FOLIAGE PLANTS FOR INDOOR OR PATIO USE					
Florist Chrysanthemums	Pots (All Sizes)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Easter Lilies	Pots (All Sizes)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Orchids	Pots (All Sizes)	214	362	2,580	6,203
Poinsettias	Pots (All Sizes)	4,523	4,264	16,658	17,423
Florist Roses	Pots (All Sizes)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Spring Flowering Bulbs	Pots (All Sizes)	72	(D)	392	(D)
Other Flowering Plants	Pots (All Sizes)	542	437	2,185	1,528
Foliage Plants	All Units	N/A	N/A	3,994	(D)
HERBACEOUS PERENNIAL PLANTS					
Hardy & Garden Chrysanthemums	Pots (All Sizes)	7,608	6,471	24,710	22,951
Daylilies	Pots (All Sizes)	580	(D)	1,817	(D)
Hardy & Garden Ferns	Pots (All Sizes)	278	290	1,031	1,300
Hostas	Pots (All Sizes)	1,078	1,073	3,625	3,920
Other Herbaceous Perennials	Pots (All Sizes)	2,371	1,722	8,894	7,277
Peonies	Pots (All Sizes)	54	18	613	252

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (N/A) Not Available.

CORN FOR GRAIN

Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	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	4,100	3,850	164	631,000	3,400	3,110	127	395,000
Alexander	2,500	1,450	137	199,000	2,600	1,560	140	219,000
Alleghany	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Anson	9,500	9,200	139	1,279,000	9,500	8,970	108	965,000
Ashe	200	100	141	14,100	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	41,000	40,000	149	5,956,000	38,300	37,900	144	5,458,000
Bertie	13,100	12,800	150	1,920,000	8,900	8,780	131	1,148,000
Bladen	24,400	23,800	141	3,352,000	23,300	22,700	113	2,558,000
Brunswick	7,600	7,450	158	1,178,000	6,500	6,370	141	898,000
Buncombe	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	800	140	139	19,400
Burke	1,300	1,140	133	151,300	800	640	103	65,600
Cabarrus	4,600	4,090	166	679,000	4,700	4,220	142	599,000
Caldwell	1,600	1,500	162	243,000	1,400	1,310	160	209,000
Camden	19,600	19,200	170	3,257,000	14,500	14,300	164	2,345,000
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	1,000	940	128	120,600	1,000	860	84	72,500
Catawba	4,200	4,050	138	557,000	4,700	4,460	144	641,000
Chatham	3,500	3,150	149	470,000	2,800	1,900	111	211,000
Cherokee	1,100	870	182	158,600	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chowan	5,600	5,480	162	889,000	2,700	2,650	153	405,000
Clay	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	6,200	5,400	125	673,000	6,600	5,750	98	563,000
Columbus	40,400	39,000	135	5,255,000	32,700	32,200	122	3,920,000
Craven	18,300	17,700	154	2,726,000	14,900	14,700	116	1,707,000
Cumberland	10,100	9,900	153	1,517,000	8,000	7,740	102	787,000
Currituck	9,900	9,750	156	1,524,000	9,700	9,530	164	1,566,000
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Davidson	7,000	5,650	131	742,000	7,000	4,980	115	573,000
Davie	8,200	7,950	154	1,224,000	6,400	6,160	142	877,000
Duplin	45,800	44,300	152	6,729,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Durham	600	510	128	65,200	500	360	111	40,100
Edgecombe	12,600	12,300	131	1,616,000	8,200	8,040	103	825,000
Forsyth	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Franklin	2,400	2,260	129	291,000	2,400	1,970	110	217,000
Gaston	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Gates	5,400	5,300	169	897,000	3,700	3,630	107	387,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	2,400	2,040	129	264,000	2,000	1,700	123	209,000
Greene	12,900	12,600	131	1,655,000	11,000	10,600	99	1,052,000
Guilford	5,400	4,520	156	705,000	5,200	4,360	114	495,000
Halifax	7,300	7,150	157	1,122,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Harnett	6,800	6,650	140	931,000	7,300	6,660	118	784,000
Haywood	1,600	300	167	50,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Henderson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,500	2,330	164	382,000
Hertford	9,700	9,500	155	1,470,000	7,700	7,520	120	904,000
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	7,000	6,800	98	664,000
Hyde	30,800	29,800	168	5,002,000	30,300	29,400	157	4,620,000
Iredell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	20,400	15,000	148	2,213,000
Jackson	200	110	160	17,600	200	110	131	14,400
Johnston	10,900	10,700	140	1,494,000	7,600	6,250	97	608,000
Jones	16,100	15,800	150	2,371,000	12,200	12,000	101	1,216,000
Lee	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,400	1,340	111	149,300
Lenoir	26,400	25,800	151	3,888,000	19,000	18,800	135	2,540,000
Lincoln	4,500	1,300	125	162,000	4,100	1,550	107	166,500
McDowell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Macon	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Madison	300	230	152	35,000	500	330	147	48,500
Martin	7,000	6,850	123	840,000	4,600	4,450	97	432,000
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

CORN FOR GRAIN

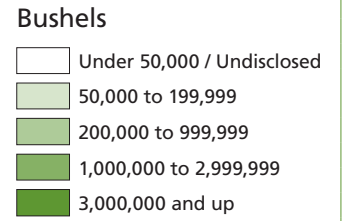
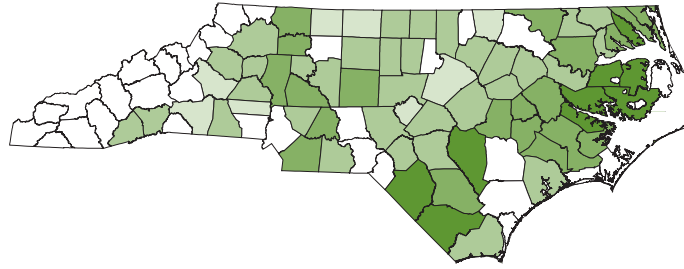
Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	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	3,100	3,000	130	390,000	3,900	3,630	99	360,000
Nash	6,200	6,050	139	838,000	3,100	2,990	96	287,000
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	14,700	14,400	155	2,232,000	10,200	10,100	128	1,296,000
Onslow	11,300	11,000	138	1,518,000	7,900	7,720	117	899,000
Orange	3,200	3,000	171	513,000	2,300	2,040	142	290,000
Pamlico	12,300	12,000	148	1,778,000	13,600	13,500	151	2,043,000
Pasquotank	19,600	19,200	172	3,300,000	19,900	19,700	170	3,345,000
Pender	15,900	15,500	152	2,353,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	15,700	15,400	153	2,359,000	12,800	12,700	154	1,949,000
Person	3,700	3,630	136	495,000	3,500	3,150	117	369,000
Pitt	20,400	19,900	131	2,603,000	13,700	13,500	100	1,353,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	10,400	6,000	150	899,000	9,900	8,630	128	1,105,000
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	65,700	64,200	139	8,936,000	60,400	59,500	108	6,449,000
Rockingham	3,200	2,750	147	405,000	2,600	1,850	105	193,400
Rowan	11,200	10,700	151	1,610,000	10,700	9,610	115	1,109,000
Rutherford	1,000	940	128	119,900	700	650	97	62,900
Sampson	32,300	31,500	151	4,760,000	32,800	32,300	110	3,550,000
Scotland	8,900	8,830	121	1,064,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stanly	13,600	13,200	143	1,886,000	12,200	11,900	108	1,286,000
Stokes	2,200	1,950	151	294,000	1,800	1,550	139	216,000
Surry	12,800	12,400	163	2,025,000	9,400	8,820	138	1,221,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	1,600	1,360	157	213,000	1,800	1,690	153	259,000
Tyrrell	21,500	21,000	177	3,717,000	23,500	23,200	148	3,431,000
Union	31,900	30,800	155	4,771,000	26,500	26,100	110	2,879,000
Vance	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	200	170	89	15,100
Wake	1,200	1,130	124	140,100	900	780	85	65,900
Warren	2,100	2,020	138	278,000	1,200	1,130	88	99,700
Washington	33,400	32,600	152	4,960,000	28,800	28,500	147	4,197,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	25,000	24,200	151	3,658,000	20,800	20,400	103	2,095,000
Wilkes	8,100	5,500	159	874,000	7,800	4,920	163	804,000
Wilson	10,800	10,600	128	1,359,000	8,000	7,840	91	710,000
Yadkin	14,200	13,800	166	2,296,000	11,800	11,200	149	1,667,000
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	68,700	54,000	146	7,880,600	98,300	91,100	122	11,135,700
State Total	960,000	905,000	149	134,845,000	830,000	785,000	126	98,910,000

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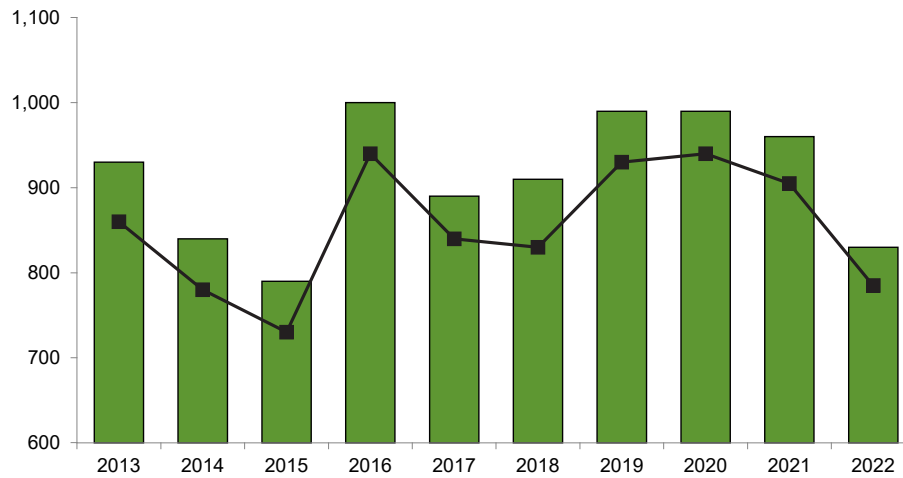
CORN FOR GRAIN 2022 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Robeson	6,449,000
Beaufort	5,458,000
Hyde	4,620,000
Washington	4,197,000
Columbus	3,920,000
Sampson	3,550,000
Tyrrell	3,431,000
Pasquotank	3,345,000
Union	2,879,000
Bladen	2,558,000



¹ Ranking of published counties only.

CORN FOR GRAIN Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



COTTON

Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	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	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	9,300	9,030	1,138	21,400	12,200	12,000	984	24,600
Bertie	30,000	29,500	1,139	70,000	34,600	34,200	1,165	83,000
Bladen	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	11,800	11,500	1,127	27,000	13,700	13,400	1,146	32,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	4,300	4,170	760	6,600	4,400	4,320	791	7,120
Craven	3,700	3,600	1,129	8,470	7,500	7,360	946	14,500
Cumberland	5,600	5,490	699	8,000	7,100	6,910	792	11,400
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	1,900	1,850	859	3,310	4,300	4,200	993	8,690
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	23,200	22,800	1,000	47,500	28,200	27,700	1,078	62,200
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	11,900	11,700	1,067	26,000	13,300	13,000	1,211	32,800
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	4,400	4,300	1,139	10,200	8,800	8,630	1,018	18,300
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	44,300	43,500	1,048	95,000	48,500	47,400	1,127	111,300
Harnett	5,700	5,580	744	8,650	6,900	6,760	731	10,300
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	15,200	14,900	1,095	34,000	17,200	16,900	1,170	41,200
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	11,500	11,000	1,239	28,400	12,900	12,500	1,217	31,700
Iredell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	4,000	3,840	791	6,330	6,500	6,250	845	11,000
Jones	4,900	4,590	858	8,200	10,200	10,000	965	20,100
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	5,500	5,370	1,037	11,600	10,600	10,400	900	19,500
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mcdowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	29,800	29,100	924	56,000	31,200	30,700	1,155	73,900
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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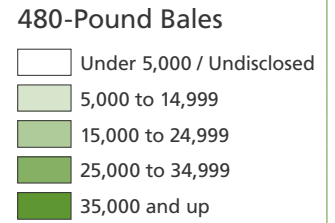
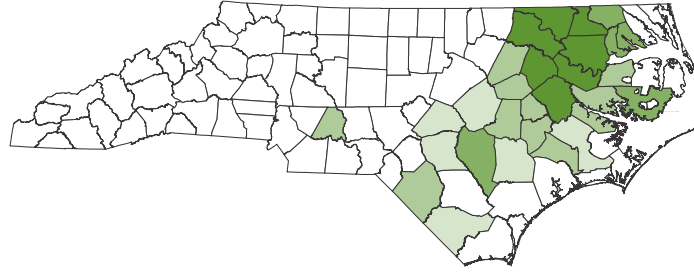
Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	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)
Moore	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nash	6,100	5,860	983	12,000	10,000	9,690	1,060	21,400
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	31,400	30,600	1,120	71,400	35,000	34,200	1,213	86,400
Onslow	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pasquotank	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	9,000	8,600	1,211	21,700	10,000	9,810	1,233	25,200
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	15,000	14,500	930	28,100	21,800	21,400	1,023	45,600
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	9,000	8,780	842	15,400	13,000	12,800	889	23,700
Rockingham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Rowan	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Sampson	13,600	13,300	614	17,000	16,300	16,000	825	27,500
Scotland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Stanly	7,100	7,050	1,226	18,000	11,000	10,800	911	20,500
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Union	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Warren	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	8,600	8,190	1,172	20,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	7,500	7,320	813	12,400	10,100	9,880	923	19,000
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	4,200	4,080	1,036	8,810	7,500	7,360	1,070	16,400
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	45,100	43,090	1,020	91,530	48,600	47,240	871	85,690
State Total	375,000	365,000	1,017	773,000	470,000	460,000	1,049	1,005,000

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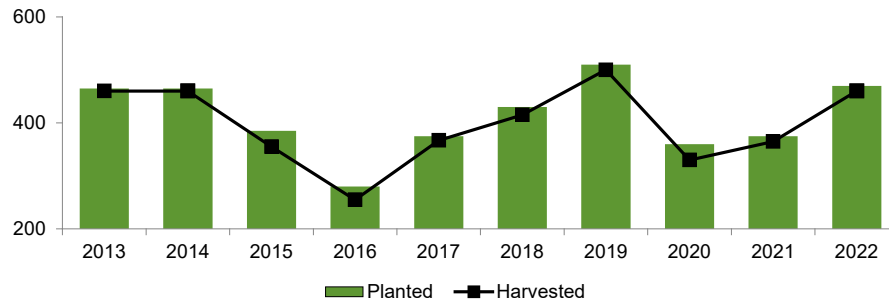
COTTON 2022 Production

Leading Counties ¹	480-Pound Bales
Halifax	111,300
Northampton	86,400
Bertie	83,000
Martin	73,900
Edgecombe	62,200
Pitt	45,600
Hertford	41,200
Gates	32,800
Chowan	32,000
Hyde	31,700



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COTTON Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



PEANUTS

Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Pounds</i>	
Alamance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alexander	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bertie	9,700	9,600	4,793	46,010,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Bladen	4,000	3,960	3,881	15,370,000	3,800	3,770	4,698	17,710,000
Brunswick	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cabarrus	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Camden	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Carteret	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Caswell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Catawba	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chatham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	4,600	4,530	4,965	22,490,000	3,800	3,780	4,487	16,960,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	4,600	4,550	3,701	16,840,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Craven	2,200	2,180	4,142	9,030,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cumberland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	8,400	8,350	4,371	36,500,000	8,500	8,440	4,700	39,670,000
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	3,000	2,970	4,828	14,340,000	3,500	3,470	4,326	15,010,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	5,700	5,660	4,131	23,380,000
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	8,400	8,330	4,257	35,460,000	8,300	8,240	4,745	39,100,000
Harnett	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	5,700	5,650	4,791	27,070,000	5,500	5,460	4,897	26,740,000
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	2,400	2,380	3,672	8,740,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Jones	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lenoir	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,200	2,180	4,266	9,300,000
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mcdowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	9,400	9,320	4,510	42,030,000	9,800	9,510	4,902	46,620,000
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

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Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	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	8,000	7,930	4,743	37,610,000	7,900	7,840	4,304	33,740,000
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Perquimans	1,100	1,090	4,817	5,250,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Person	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pitt	7,300	7,240	4,291	31,070,000	8,400	8,390	4,453	37,360,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Richmond	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Robeson	2,300	2,280	4,009	9,140,000	(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	1,500	1,490	4,691	6,990,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	5,500	5,450	4,202	22,900,000	6,000	5,950	4,455	26,510,000
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	26,900	26,700	4,085	109,060,000	43,600	43,310	4,117	178,300,000
State Total	115,000	114,000	4,350	495,900,000	117,000	116,000	4,400	510,400,000

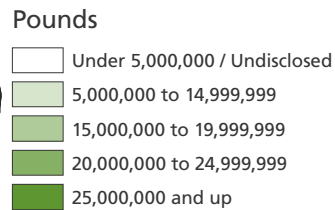
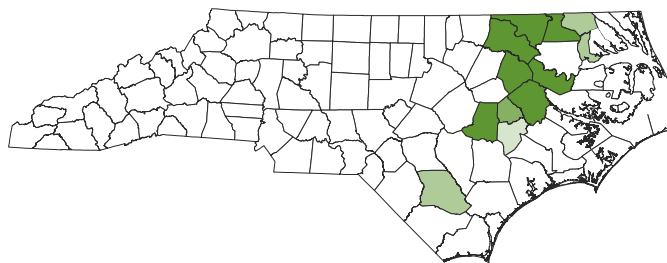
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2022 Production

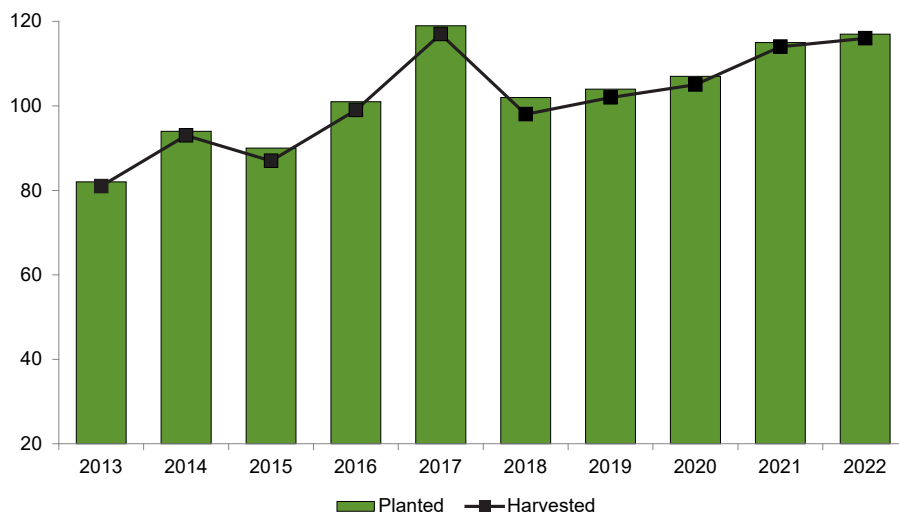
Leading Counties ¹	Pounds
Martin	46,620,000
Edgecombe	39,670,000
Halifax	39,100,000
Pitt	37,360,000
Northampton	33,740,000
Hertford	26,740,000
Wayne	26,510,000
Greene	23,380,000
Bladen	17,710,000
Chowan	16,960,000

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



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Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



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Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>		<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	
Alamance	6,100	5,700	41	233,000	5,400	5,160	36	183,000
Alexander	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Alleghany	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Anson	15,100	15,100	34	519,000	15,400	15,000	37	554,000
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	70,300	70,000	49	3,400,000	68,400	68,300	48	3,287,000
Bertie	30,000	29,900	46	1,387,000	30,500	30,400	37	1,119,000
Bladen	16,700	16,600	36	596,000	19,300	19,200	29	557,000
Brunswick	7,500	7,430	38	279,000	7,700	7,400	39	291,000
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	1,000	970	46	44,700	1,400	1,390	39	53,900
Cabarrus	5,600	5,500	44	244,000	5,700	5,670	38	213,000
Caldwell	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Camden	28,200	28,200	49	1,387,000	28,800	28,700	49	1,406,000
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Caswell	5,000	4,830	34	163,000	4,900	4,750	31	146,000
Catawba	8,500	8,360	37	308,000	7,900	7,750	45	352,000
Chatham	2,700	2,700	35	93,900	3,400	3,200	37	117,000
Cherokee	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Chowan	16,100	16,100	43	687,000	18,000	17,900	41	727,000
Clay	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cleveland	12,900	12,700	41	526,000	13,100	12,700	38	478,000
Columbus	52,900	52,700	36	1,871,000	61,000	60,900	33	1,987,000
Craven	22,000	21,800	42	916,000	20,700	20,600	42	859,000
Cumberland	15,800	15,600	37	571,000	18,500	18,400	37	673,000
Currituck	19,100	19,100	45	865,000	17,600	17,500	42	730,000
Dare	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Davidson	10,600	10,400	40	412,000	11,500	11,400	36	415,000
Davie	8,500	8,500	44	370,000	9,400	9,400	51	483,000
Duplin	52,600	52,200	36	1,900,000	59,300	59,200	37	2,184,000
Durham	800	800	35	27,900	1,100	1,050	32	33,500
Edgecombe	42,900	42,800	38	1,644,000	43,500	43,300	34	1,459,000
Forsyth	5,000	4,980	43	215,000	5,300	5,270	38	199,000
Franklin	18,200	18,100	29	525,000	19,300	19,200	33	639,000
Gaston	3,200	3,090	40	122,000	3,000	2,950	40	118,000
Gates	20,000	20,000	46	924,000	20,100	20,000	40	796,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	6,900	6,600	36	236,000	8,600	8,450	33	278,000
Greene	30,500	30,500	35	1,064,000	32,500	32,400	40	1,306,000
Guilford	10,900	10,700	40	429,000	10,300	10,000	37	367,000
Halifax	36,300	36,200	37	1,339,000	34,700	34,500	37	1,273,000
Harnett	25,300	25,000	28	695,000	23,600	23,400	27	627,000
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	300	300	45	13,400
Hertford	12,800	12,800	42	534,000	13,400	13,300	34	455,000
Hoke	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	35,300	35,200	53	1,873,000	34,700	34,600	50	1,730,000
Iredell	18,100	18,000	44	792,000	17,200	17,100	49	841,000
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	46,100	45,900	31	1,423,000	47,000	46,800	30	1,418,000
Jones	25,800	25,700	39	997,000	23,200	23,100	44	1,023,000
Lee	4,000	3,980	35	139,000	4,100	4,070	37	149,000
Lenoir	34,400	34,400	39	1,345,000	38,900	38,800	41	1,579,000
Lincoln	7,300	7,200	32	233,000	7,800	7,700	40	310,000
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	22,800	22,600	39	879,000	24,100	24,000	36	874,000
Mecklenburg	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

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Acres, Yield, and Production

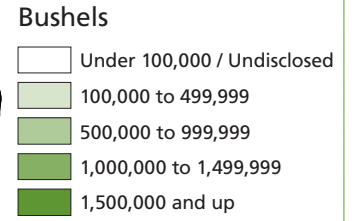
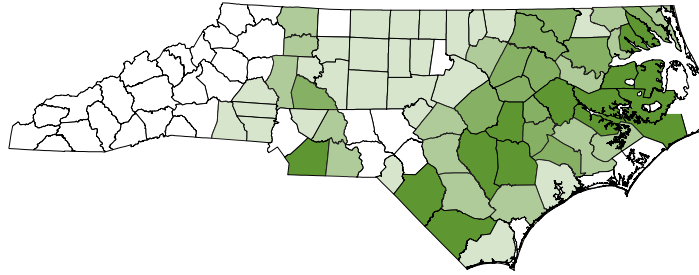
Counties	2021				2022			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Mitchell								
Montgomery	800	770	37	28,700	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Moore	3,600	3,490	30	103,000	3,600	3,530	26	90,000
Nash	26,800	26,600	36	966,000	29,100	28,800	37	1,068,000
New Hanover	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Northampton	33,900	33,800	45	1,518,000	35,800	35,700	35	1,246,000
Onslow	14,100	14,000	39	542,000	13,400	13,200	36	475,000
Orange	3,200	3,170	45	144,000	3,200	3,190	38	121,000
Pamlico	19,900	19,800	49	964,000	17,800	17,700	48	850,000
Pasquotank	48,800	48,800	52	2,533,000	48,400	48,300	48	2,294,000
Pender	15,600	15,600	43	666,000	17,200	17,100	39	663,000
Perquimans	44,100	44,100	47	2,073,000	45,500	45,400	44	1,989,000
Person	13,500	13,100	33	426,000	14,400	13,900	29	404,000
Pitt	60,300	59,400	36	2,132,000	56,700	56,600	37	2,083,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	10,700	10,600	38	403,000	11,400	11,300	36	403,000
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,500	2,470	31	77,000
Robeson	82,400	82,300	32	2,667,000	84,500	84,400	28	2,346,000
Rockingham	8,800	8,580	38	329,000	8,100	7,950	42	335,000
Rowan	21,000	20,900	43	888,000	21,300	21,200	52	1,094,000
Rutherford	1,300	1,240	42	51,800	1,500	1,390	33	46,000
Sampson	58,900	58,500	33	1,913,000	62,300	62,200	35	2,177,000
Scotland	8,900	8,850	29	258,000	11,600	11,500	35	400,000
Stanly	20,200	20,000	40	790,000	17,400	17,300	31	529,000
Stokes	2,500	2,100	39	80,900	2,800	2,300	43	99,500
Surry	10,600	10,200	47	480,000	13,300	13,200	45	597,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	34,600	34,400	51	1,751,000	32,100	32,000	51	1,622,000
Union	58,900	58,900	46	2,678,000	62,000	61,900	36	2,246,000
Vance	7,000	6,970	36	248,000	7,500	7,470	30	226,000
Wake	11,900	11,900	29	342,000	11,300	11,200	32	354,000
Warren	10,400	10,300	36	368,000	11,100	11,000	34	373,000
Washington	44,200	44,100	51	2,249,000	46,200	46,000	48	2,208,000
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	54,300	54,200	33	1,762,000	55,100	55,000	37	2,019,000
Wilkes	1,500	1,500	55	82,800	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilson	34,000	33,900	42	1,424,000	36,800	36,500	38	1,387,000
Yadkin	19,300	19,100	45	854,000	22,600	22,500	44	999,000
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	50,200	49,890	34	1,676,300	52,900	52,590	37	1,941,700
State Total	1,650,000	1,640,000	40	65,600,000	1,700,000	1,690,000	39	65,065,000

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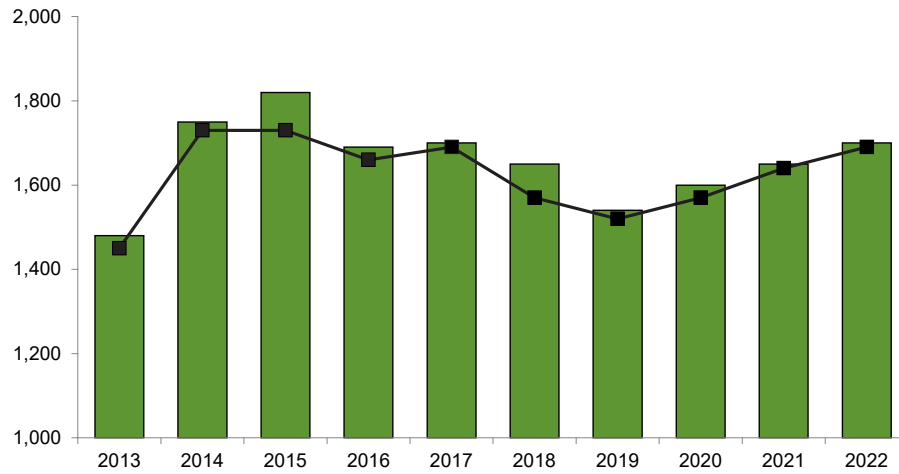
Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Beaufort	3,287,000
Robeson	2,346,000
Pasquotank	2,294,000
Union	2,246,000
Washington	2,208,000
Duplin	2,184,000
Sampson	2,177,000
Pitt	2,083,000
Wayne	2,019,000
Perquimans	1,989,000

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Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



SWEET POTATOES

Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	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	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
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	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	400	400	240	96,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Columbus	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Craven	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Cumberland	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Currituck	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davie	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Duplin	4,500	4,500	170	768,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Durham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Edgecombe	9,300	9,300	170	1,563,000	9,300	9,300	180	1,678,000
Forsyth	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Franklin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Gaston	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Gates	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Greene	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Guilford	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Harnett	4,200	4,200	145	609,000	2,200	2,200	230	510,000
Haywood	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Hoke	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hyde	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Iredell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	11,200	11,200	190	2,145,000	9,800	9,700	155	1,504,000
Jones	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lee	*	*	*	*	200	200	180	36,000
Lenoir	3,800	3,800	180	678,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lincoln	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
McDowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	1,900	1,900	110	206,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Mecklenburg	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

SWEET POTATOES

Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Hundredweight		Acres		Hundredweight	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Moore	200	190	120	22,400	*	*	*	*
Nash	9,700	9,700	165	1,612,000	7,800	7,800	160	1,237,000
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Onslow	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Orange	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pamlico	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pasquotank	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Pender	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
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	16,200	16,100	170	2,738,000	15,400	15,300	180	2,749,000
Scotland	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stanly	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Stokes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Surry	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Union	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vance	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wake	600	580	125	72,700	900	850	110	91,500
Warren	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Washington	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	8,100	8,080	165	1,349,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilkes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wilson	11,300	11,300	220	2,486,000	7,800	7,800	245	1,897,000
Yadkin	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	24,000	23,850	170	4,073,400	30,200	30,150	190	5,686,000
State Total	105,000	104,700	175	18,322,500	84,000	83,700	185	15,484,500

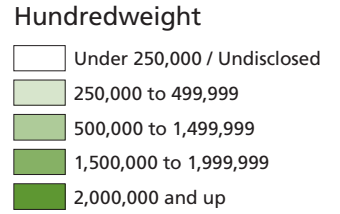
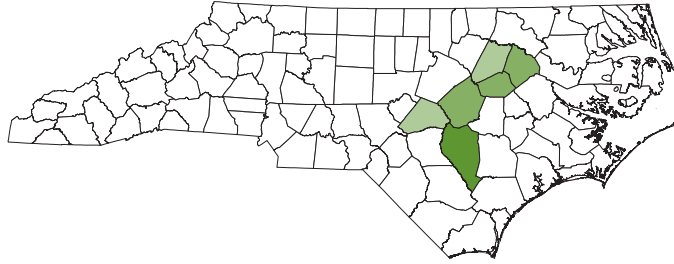
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SWEET POTATOES

2022 Production

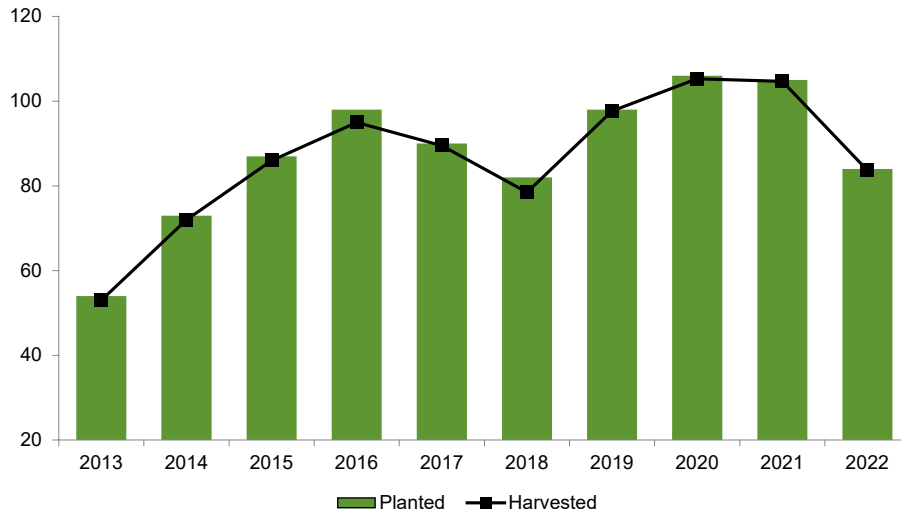
Leading Counties ¹	Hundredweight
Sampson	2,749,000
Wilson	1,897,000
Edgecombe	1,678,000
Johnston	1,504,000
Nash	1,237,000
Harnett	510,000
Chowan	96,000
Wake	91,500
Lee	36,000

¹ Ranking of published counties only.



SWEET POTATOES

Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)



WHEAT

Acres, Yield, and Production

Counties	2021				2022			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Alamance	2,100	1,700	56	95,600	2,200	1,700	61	104,000
Alexander	2,200	1,410	52	73,300	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Alleghany	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Anson	8,500	6,410	58	370,000	11,900	10,300	61	632,000
Ashe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Avery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Beaufort	10,800	7,230	67	487,000	10,400	9,080	76	694,000
Bertie	8,000	4,420	53	236,000	6,400	5,410	61	332,000
Bladen	2,800	2,300	56	129,000	2,700	1,690	56	95,300
Brunswick	1,600	1,400	54	75,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Buncombe	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Burke	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Cabarrus	2,900	2,530	68	171,000	3,200	2,540	65	165,000
Caldwell	1,000	750	64	47,800	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Camden	4,400	3,280	65	213,000	5,100	4,470	65	291,000
Carteret	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	*	*	*	*
Caswell	1,100	470	55	25,900	1,600	1,210	60	72,600
Catawba	3,400	2,660	63	168,000	3,100	2,360	63	149,000
Chatham	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	1,200	990	69	67,800
Cherokee	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Chowan	2,700	2,080	69	143,000	4,900	3,150	69	217,000
Clay	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cleveland	6,000	4,370	64	278,000	6,700	5,590	69	387,000
Columbus	7,900	6,860	64	436,000	5,900	5,140	51	262,000
Craven	3,200	2,440	46	112,000	2,500	2,050	61	125,000
Cumberland	3,600	3,120	57	179,000	3,900	3,340	65	216,000
Currituck	5,300	4,330	72	310,000	4,600	3,960	78	307,000
Dare	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Davidson	2,700	1,920	59	114,000	3,500	2,660	63	168,000
Davie	2,500	2,190	53	115,000	2,400	1,850	70	129,000
Duplin	15,000	12,300	48	595,000	18,000	15,200	58	886,000
Durham	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	9,100	7,900	55	433,000	8,600	5,520	64	351,000
Forsyth	1,100	880	64	56,400	1,100	930	53	49,200
Franklin	7,900	6,440	48	311,000	7,800	6,710	56	377,000
Gaston	1,800	960	62	59,000	1,400	930	67	62,500
Gates	5,000	2,330	68	159,000	5,800	3,540	68	241,000
Graham	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Granville	3,700	2,540	45	113,000	2,900	1,710	51	86,900
Greene	10,000	8,260	52	431,000	9,800	8,190	58	476,000
Guilford	4,100	3,380	51	171,000	4,500	3,880	61	237,000
Halifax	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Harnett	6,400	5,310	56	296,000	6,100	5,290	62	329,000
Haywood	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Henderson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hertford	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hoke	3,300	1,980	59	116,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Hyde	4,100	3,400	60	204,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Iredell	9,100	6,100	59	362,000	10,400	8,000	57	453,000
Jackson	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Johnston	9,700	7,460	48	360,000	9,400	5,990	65	390,000
Jones	5,500	3,250	45	145,000	3,400	2,310	55	128,000
Lee	1,700	1,250	49	61,400	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Lenoir	6,400	4,710	40	186,000	8,100	5,590	50	282,000
Lincoln	5,100	3,810	68	259,000	4,000	3,230	68	218,000
Mcdowell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Macon	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Madison	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Martin	4,200	2,510	45	113,000	6,200	4,890	60	291,000
Mecklenburg	1,200	700	54	37,500	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)

WHEAT

Acres, Yield, and Production

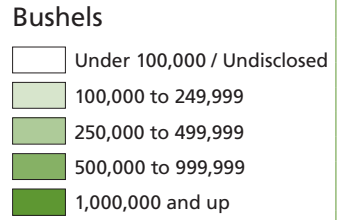
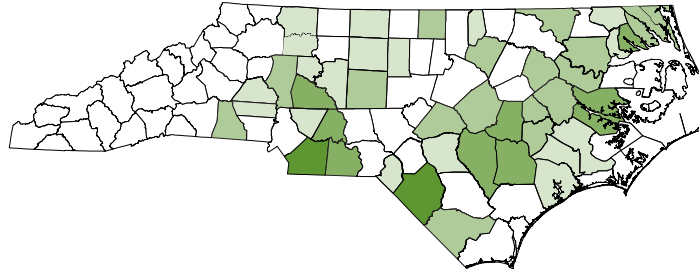
Counties	2021				2022			
	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production	Planted	Harvested	Yield per Harvested Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
Mitchell	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Montgomery	300	130	59	7,600	*	*	*	*
Moore	2,100	1,270	42	53,100	2,200	1,200	62	74,900
Nash	5,000	3,270	53	174,000	4,800	1,770	55	96,500
New Hanover	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Northampton	8,000	6,120	58	357,000	9,200	4,400	61	270,000
Onslow	2,300	1,880	50	94,400	3,600	3,080	51	157,000
Orange	1,700	1,300	65	84,100	1,800	900	60	53,700
Pamlico	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Pasquotank	8,200	6,720	81	541,000	7,600	6,520	75	489,000
Pender	4,200	3,580	62	223,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Perquimans	13,200	10,700	78	834,000	15,100	13,200	75	995,000
Person	7,600	6,360	46	294,000	9,200	7,970	53	422,000
Pitt	12,000	9,780	40	391,000	10,400	6,750	51	345,000
Polk	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Randolph	5,800	3,160	57	181,000	6,500	5,810	69	398,000
Richmond	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Robeson	28,400	24,800	49	1,209,000	26,000	22,200	57	1,272,000
Rockingham	3,400	2,570	49	127,000	4,300	3,560	56	200,000
Rowan	8,100	4,900	68	333,000	10,400	7,970	74	587,000
Rutherford	*	*	*	*	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Sampson	13,100	10,800	48	521,000	13,500	11,400	55	622,000
Scotland	4,500	3,700	37	138,000	4,400	3,790	52	198,000
Stanly	9,300	7,620	63	476,000	11,300	8,490	65	550,000
Stokes	400	160	54	8,700	600	150	55	8,300
Surry	2,800	2,240	71	160,000	2,700	2,080	66	138,000
Swain	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transylvania	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Tyrrell	9,000	7,600	66	502,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Union	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	52,500	45,800	75	3,449,000
Vance	1,900	1,510	43	65,500	2,100	1,740	61	106,000
Wake	2,800	1,850	48	89,500	2,500	1,890	51	95,500
Warren	3,400	2,990	49	147,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Washington	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Watauga	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Wayne	16,700	13,900	50	694,000	15,400	12,400	53	658,000
Wilkes	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Wilson	8,700	6,750	50	338,000	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
Yadkin	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,000	3,220	67	217,000
Yancey	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Counties	70,000	52,000	58	3,030,200	70,200	49,310	68	3,326,800
State Total	450,000	345,000	56	19,320,000	480,000	375,000	64	24,000,000

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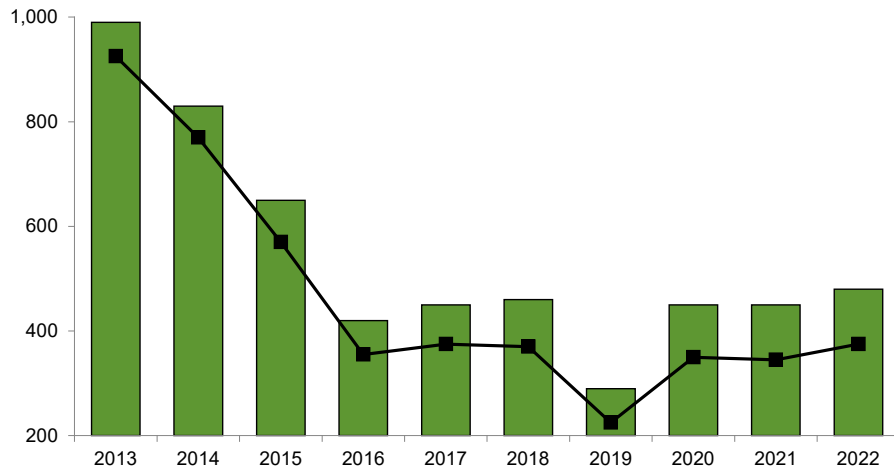
WHEAT 2022 Production

Leading Counties ¹	Bushels
Union	3,449,000
Robeson	1,272,000
Perquimans	995,000
Duplin	886,000
Beaufort	694,000
Wayne	658,000
Anson	632,000
Sampson	622,000
Rowan	587,000
Stanly	550,000

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WHEAT Planted and Harvested (Thousand Acres)

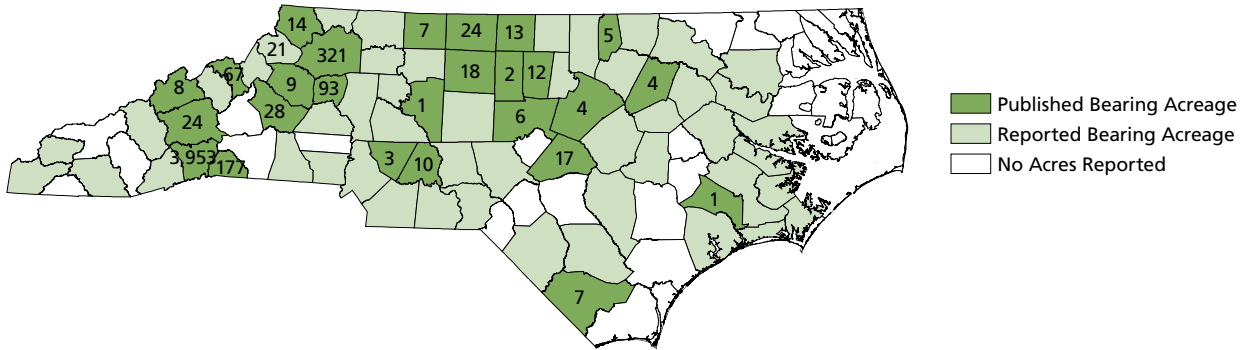


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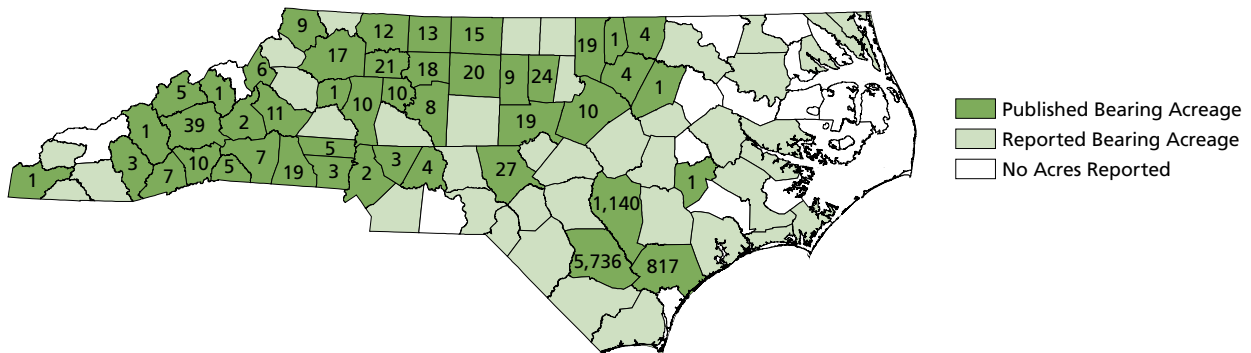
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(Bearing and Non-Bearing Acres)



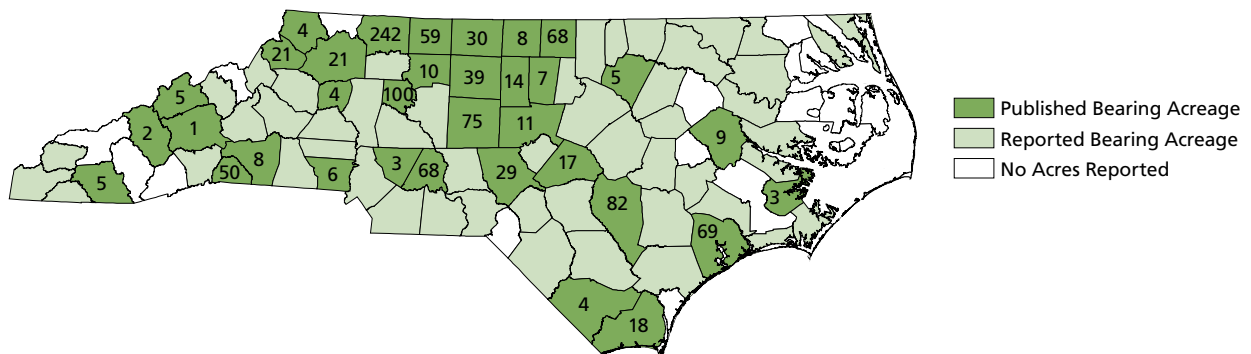
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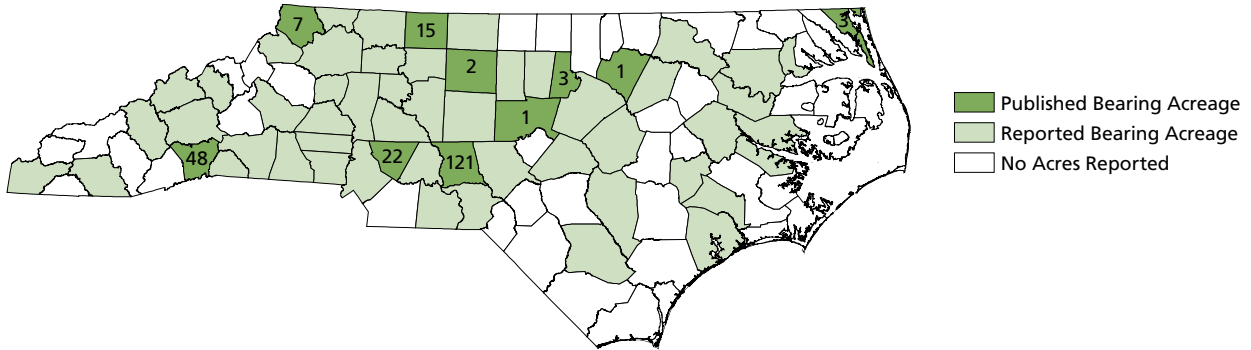


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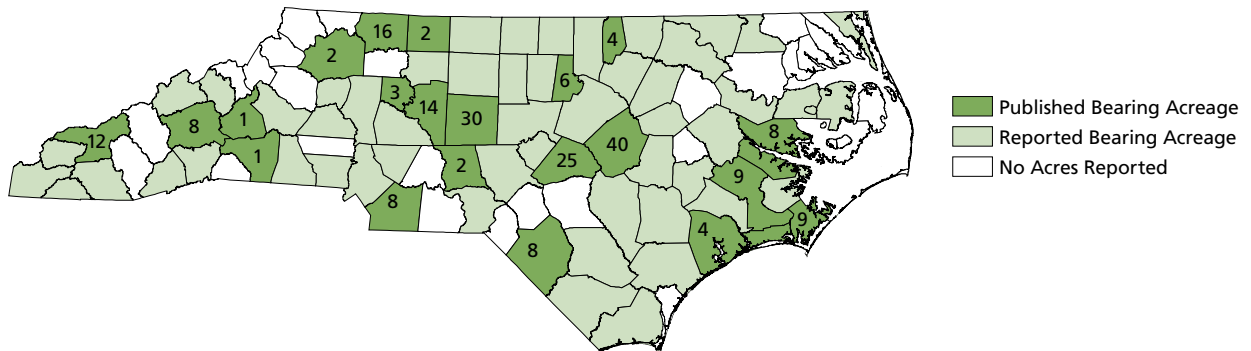
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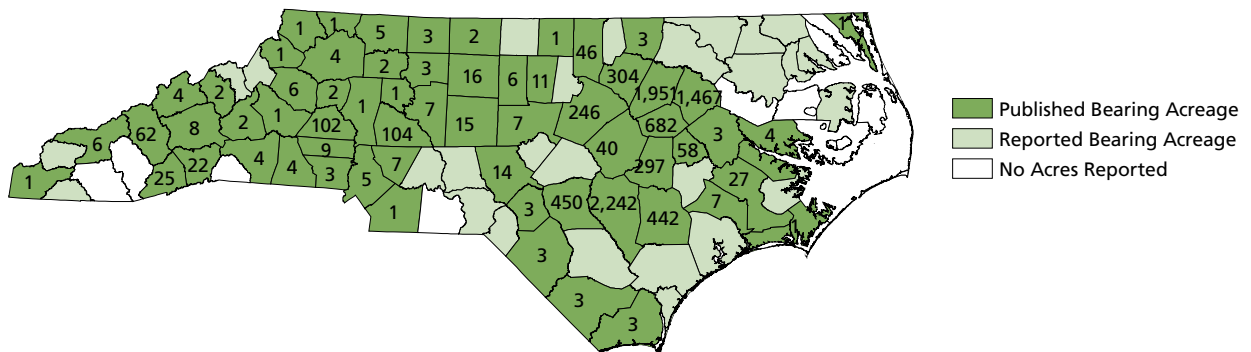
TOP STRAWBERRY COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres)



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(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)

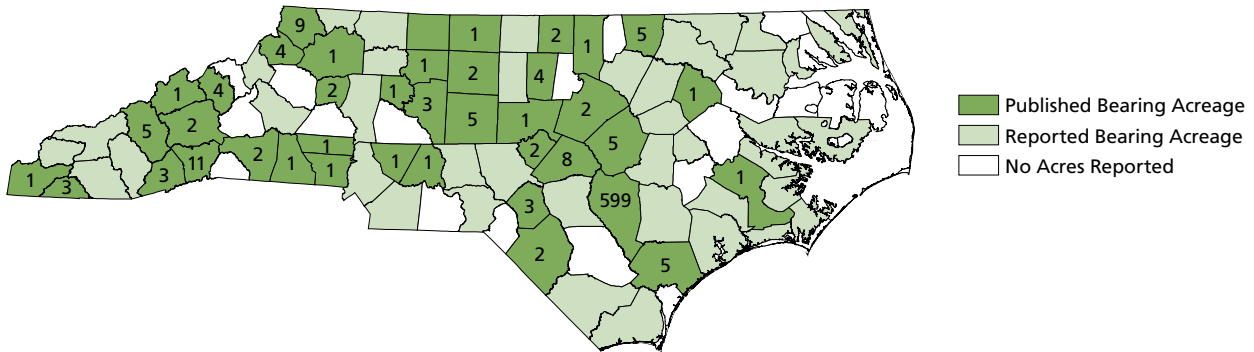


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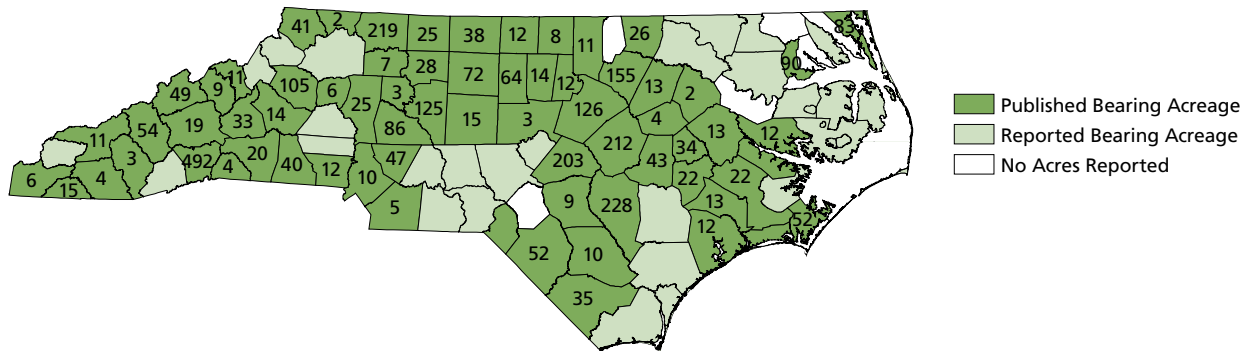
TOP HEAD CABBAGE COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)



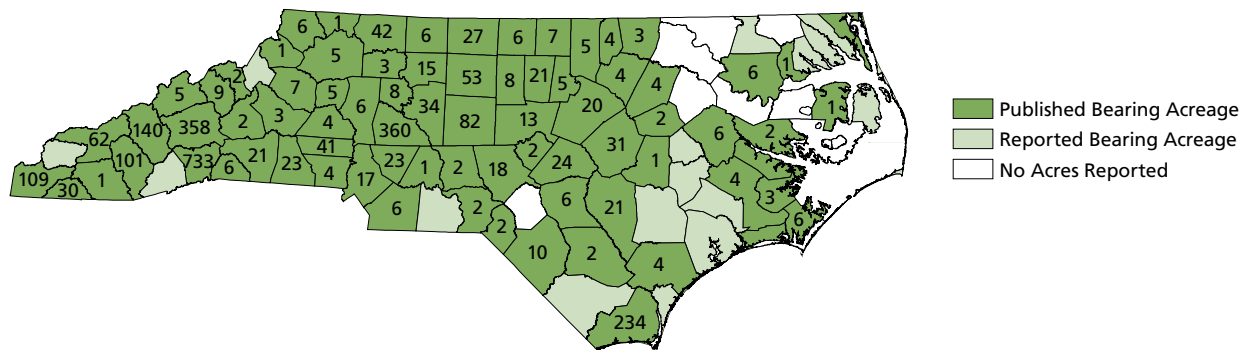
TOP SWEET CORN COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)



TOP TOMATO COUNTIES

(Harvested Acres - Fresh Market and Processing)





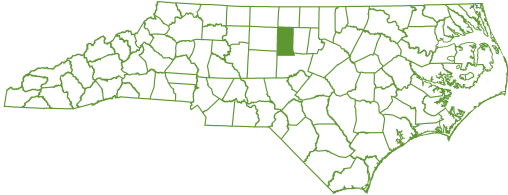
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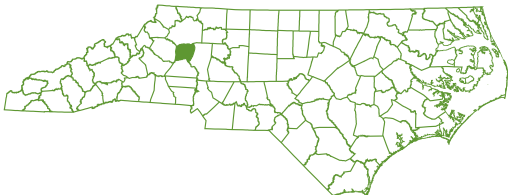
**CROP & LIVESTOCK
CASH RECEIPTS
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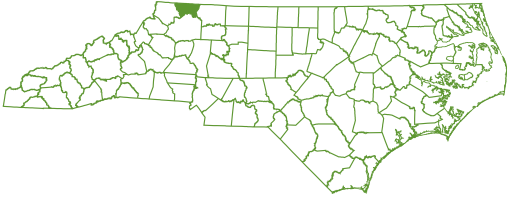
ALAMANCE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	271,353	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,110	127	395,000	53
Number of Farms	720	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	80,042	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	111	Soybeans: Bu.	5,160	36	183,000	63
Harvested Cropland: Acres	25,343	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.3	Wheat: Bu.	1,700	61	104,000	56
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$480,289,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$46,590,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$49,217					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		1,450,000	54	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		14,600	16	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,200	17	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,300	4	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		410,000	11	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		45,208,967	49	
Crops		17,933,139	64			
Government Payments		503,575	68			
Total		63,645,681	62			

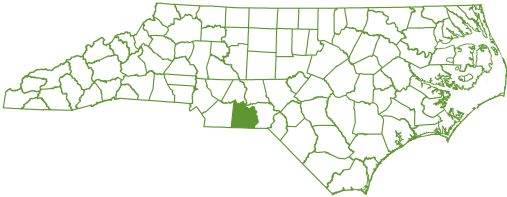
ALEXANDER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	166,122	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,560	140	219,000	63
Number of Farms	544	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	54,146	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	100	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	18,618	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$304,930,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$55,187,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$197,774					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		29,400,000	12	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		17,900	11	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		7,200	13	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,000	10	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		830,000	4	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		261,444,580	13	
Crops		13,309,721	75			
Government Payments		1,278,922	52			
Total		276,033,223	17			

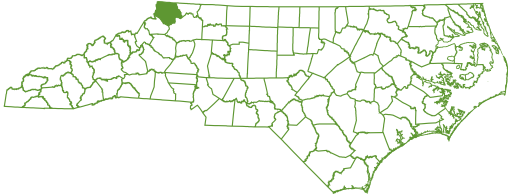
ALLEGHANY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	150,398	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	448	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	70,593	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	158	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	22,100	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.8	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$348,488,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$39,350,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$54,730					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		4,000	64	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		17,500	12	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,300	24	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		900	13	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		12,885,672	65	
Crops		23,802,464	53			
Government Payments		297,979	82			
Total		36,986,115	75			

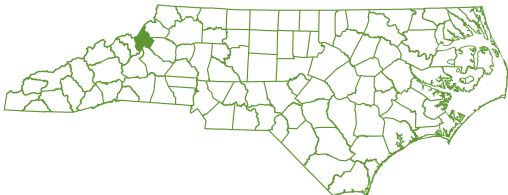
ANSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	340,216	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,970	108	965,000	32
Number of Farms	412	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	85,330	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	207	Soybeans: Bu.	15,000	37	554,000	41
Harvested Cropland: Acres	29,190	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Wheat: Bu.	10,300	61	632,000	7
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$348,626,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$47,953,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$422,621					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		58,200,000	3	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		8,900	33	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		52,000	23	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		335,000	13	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		1,100,000	8	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		497,621,322	6	
Crops		29,158,269	49			
Government Payments		1,900,053	40			
Total		528,679,644	8			

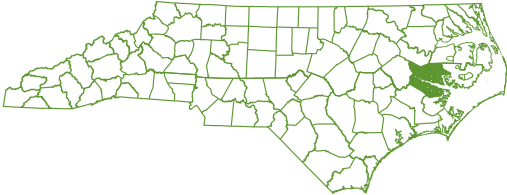
ASHE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	272,778	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	864	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	109,790	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	127	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	27,996	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$577,239,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$62,153,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$59,746					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		16,500	13	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,900	14	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,500	68	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		8,891,319	73	
Crops		50,097,517	31			
Government Payments		415,458	77			
Total		59,404,294	64			

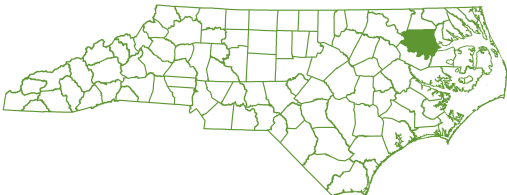
AVERY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	158,108	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	351	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	28,679	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	82	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	8,416	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.9	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$186,253,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$22,190,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$57,822					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,600	71	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		900	68	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		1,094,760	91	
Crops		20,581,760	61			
Government Payments		102,278	93			
Total		21,778,798	84			

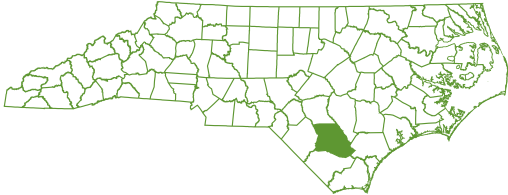
BEAUFORT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	529,908	Corn for Grain: Bu.	37,900	144	5,458,000	2
Number of Farms	310	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,000	984	24,600	13
Total Land in Farms: Acres	139,475	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	450	Soybeans: Bu.	68,300	48	3,287,000	1
Harvested Cropland: Acres	114,813	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57	Wheat: Bu.	9,080	76	694,000	5
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$477,022,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$82,414,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$253,481					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	91	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	89	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		23,000	29	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		23,015,569	59	
Crops		111,845,695	9			
Government Payments		7,546,716	13			
Total		142,407,980	37			

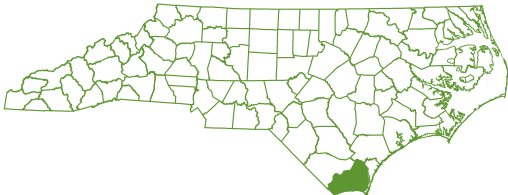
BERTIE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	447,601	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,780	131	1,148,000	28
Number of Farms	323	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	34,200	1,165	83,000	3
Total Land in Farms: Acres	148,113	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	459	Soybeans: Bu.	30,400	37	1,119,000	23
Harvested Cropland: Acres	100,830	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.1	Wheat: Bu.	5,410	61	332,000	25
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$449,008,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$77,012,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$529,458					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		44,700,000	5	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		700	85	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	85	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		325,484,672	10	
Crops		85,968,567	16			
Government Payments		12,066,341	4			
Total		423,519,580	9			

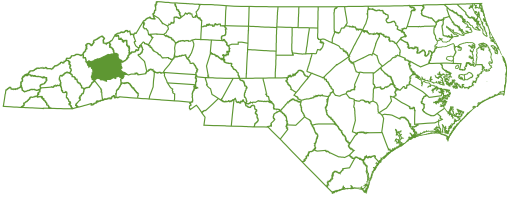
BLADEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	559,592	Corn for Grain: Bu.	22,700	113	2,558,000	11
Number of Farms	512	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	180,340	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,770	4,698	17,710,000	11
Average Farm Size: Acres	352	Soybeans: Bu.	19,200	29	557,000	40
Harvested Cropland: Acres	61,700	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Wheat: Bu.	1,690	56	95,300	59
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$601,315,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$115,250,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$552,672					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		25,300,000	14	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,800	52	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		720,000	3	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		1,400,000	6	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		507,080,459	5	
Crops		75,037,149	21			
Government Payments		10,518,570	8			
Total		592,636,178	4			

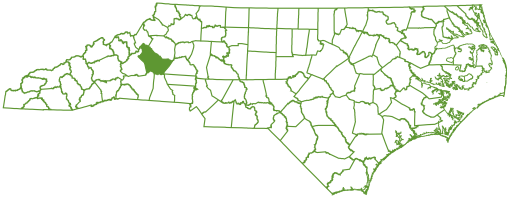
BRUNSWICK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	542,033	Corn for Grain: Bu.	6,370	141	898,000	35
Number of Farms	231	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	44,693	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	193	Soybeans: Bu.	7,400	39	291,000	57
Harvested Cropland: Acres	20,933	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$175,180,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,428,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$191,238					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,300	79	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		63,000	21	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,900	63	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		24,908,835	58	
Crops		16,061,277	71			
Government Payments		672,350	65			
Total		41,642,462	70			


BUNCOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	419,779	Corn for Grain: Bu.	140	139	19,400	89
Number of Farms	1,073	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	72,284	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	67	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	14,350	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$719,162,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$59,733,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$42,306					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		6,000	61	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		13,100	19	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,900	14	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		800	14	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		17,400	45	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		12,329,350	68	
Crops		43,077,363	40			
Government Payments		503,512	69			
Total		55,910,225	65			

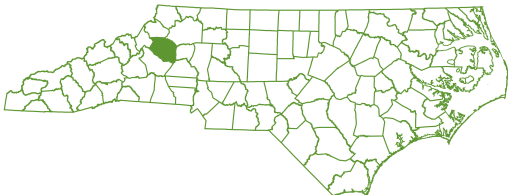
BURKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	324,276	Corn for Grain: Bu.	640	103	65,600	80
Number of Farms	508	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	38,641	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	76	Soybeans: Bu.	1,390	39	53,900	76
Harvested Cropland: Acres	15,401	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$220,301,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$38,907,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$105,746					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		11,500,000	24	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		4,600	49	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,600	48	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		64,000	33	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		87,337,021	37	
Crops		12,900,901	76			
Government Payments		381,785	78			
Total		100,619,707	46			

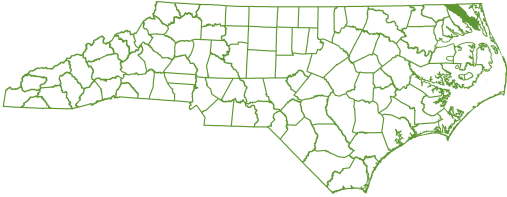
CABARRUS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	231,524	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,220	142	599,000	46
Number of Farms	629	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	63,667	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	101	Soybeans: Bu.	5,670	38	213,000	61
Harvested Cropland: Acres	28,292	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Wheat: Bu.	2,540	65	165,000	45
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$554,444,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$52,447,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$73,245					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		3,800,000	44	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		12,700	21	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,200	17	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		600	17	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		50,540,664	47	
Crops		17,469,895	67			
Government Payments		376,538	79			
Total		68,387,097	59			

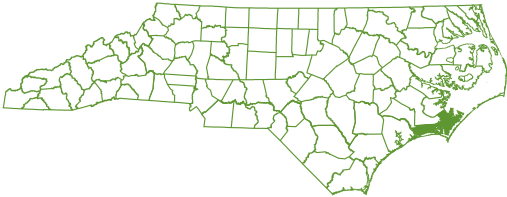
CALDWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	301,819	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,310	160	209,000	67
Number of Farms	411	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	37,991	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	92	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	11,984	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$172,402,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$24,539,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$70,215					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		8,350,000	33	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,900	43	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,200	41	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		12,500	48	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		63,372,171	44	
Crops		12,271,447	78			
Government Payments		256,660	83			
Total		75,900,278	56			

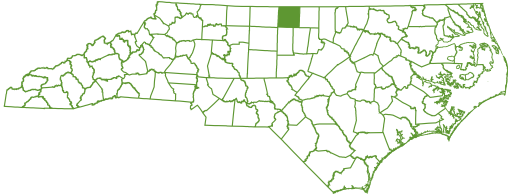
CAMDEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	153,958	Corn for Grain: Bu.	14,300	164	2,345,000	13
Number of Farms	81	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	59,239	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	731	Soybeans: Bu.	28,700	49	1,406,000	17
Harvested Cropland: Acres	53,445	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Wheat: Bu.	4,470	65	291,000	28
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$188,524,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$34,126,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$416,663					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	91	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	89	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		1,508,963	88	
Crops		43,571,354	39			
Government Payments		553,062	66			
Total		45,633,379	67			

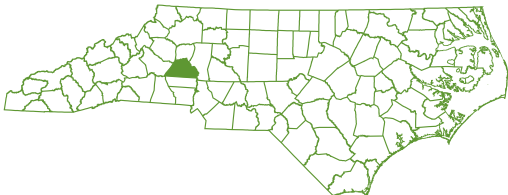
CARTERET COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	323,655	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	158	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	62,764	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	397	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	43,277	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$284,685,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$14,958,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$121,666					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	91	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	89	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,200	70	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		878,643	92	
Crops		31,877,180	47			
Government Payments		1,548,242	46			
Total		34,304,065	78			

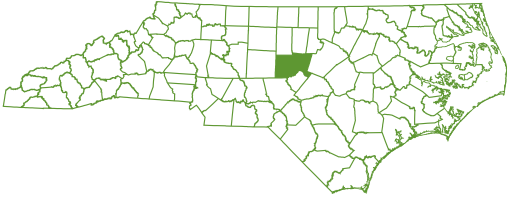
CASWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	271,679	Corn for Grain: Bu.	860	84	72,500	78
Number of Farms	493	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	104,882	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	213	Soybeans: Bu.	4,750	31	146,000	65
Harvested Cropland: Acres	19,052	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.7	Wheat: Bu.	1,210	60	72,600	63
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$339,938,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$32,415,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$61,130					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		8,600	34	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,700	34	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		700	15	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		270,000	17	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		21,442,344	61	
Crops		17,654,214	66			
Government Payments		1,096,021	56			
Total		40,192,579	71			

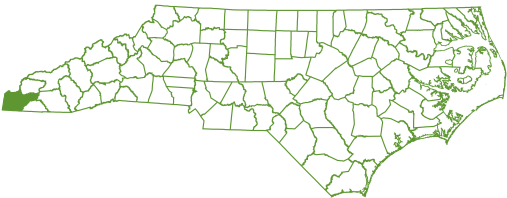
CATAWBA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	255,179	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,460	144	641,000	44
Number of Farms	638	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	63,530	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	100	Soybeans: Bu.	7,750	45	352,000	54
Harvested Cropland: Acres	31,460	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Wheat: Bu.	2,360	63	149,000	48
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$415,687,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$55,866,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$84,012					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		11,400,000	25	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		13,500	18	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,800	16	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		600	17	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		77,000	30	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		95,649,888	35	
Crops		22,655,542	57			
Government Payments		422,630	76			
Total		118,728,060	42			

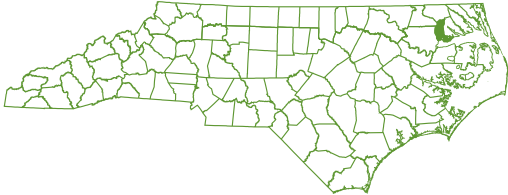
CHATHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	436,696	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,900	111	211,000	66
Number of Farms	1,116	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	105,995	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	95	Soybeans: Bu.	3,200	37	117,000	69
Harvested Cropland: Acres	27,195	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.4	Wheat: Bu.	990	69	67,800	64
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$583,546,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$74,400,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$121,352					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		21,700,000	18	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		31,000	3	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		15,000	2	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		600	17	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		275,000	16	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		186,804,286	23	
Crops		10,154,365	81			
Government Payments		546,923	67			
Total		197,505,574	31			

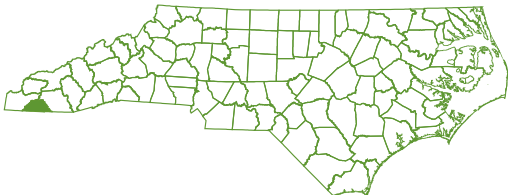
CHEROKEE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	291,367	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	277	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	26,236	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	95	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	5,678	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.3	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$128,712,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$21,921,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$51,753					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		9,100	32	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		31,053,014	55	
Crops		7,381,306	86			
Government Payments		170,895	87			
Total		38,605,215	74			

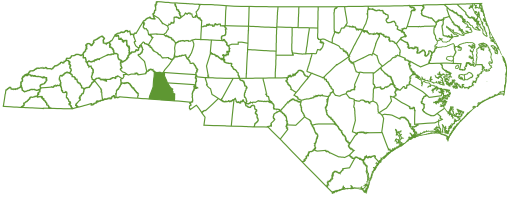
CHOWAN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	110,460	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,650	153	405,000	52
Number of Farms	97	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	13,400	1,146	32,000	9
Total Land in Farms: Acres	53,528	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,780	4,487	16,960,000	12
Average Farm Size: Acres	552	Soybeans: Bu.	17,900	41	727,000	34
Harvested Cropland: Acres	41,625	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	400	240	96,000	17
Average Age of Farmers	57	Wheat: Bu.	3,150	69	217,000	37
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$187,026,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$38,485,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$373,611					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		1,500,000	53	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		800	82	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	89	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		12,525,740	67	
		Crops		47,417,664	33	
		Government Payments		2,137,167	36	
		Total		62,080,571	63	

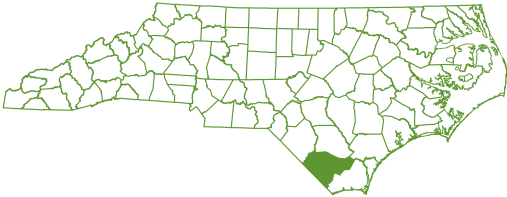
CLAY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	137,425	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	164	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	12,525	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	76	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	4,021	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.9	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$78,622,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$6,894,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$19,523					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,200	65	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,100	66	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		1,141,627	90	
		Crops		1,403,299	98	
		Government Payments		134,286	91	
		Total		2,679,212	98	

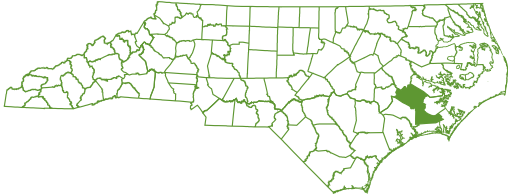
CLEVELAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	297,120	Corn for Grain: Bu.	5,750	98	563,000	49
Number of Farms	1,005	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	113,341	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	113	Soybeans: Bu.	12,700	38	478,000	44
Harvested Cropland: Acres	40,938	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Wheat: Bu.	5,590	69	387,000	20
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$528,679,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$67,104,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$83,701					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			24,200,000	16
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			20,500	6
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			10,000	9
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			600	17
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			95,000	27
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			355,000	13
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			203,345,285	19
		Crops			20,830,689	60
		Government Payments			2,727,983	31
		Total			226,903,957	23

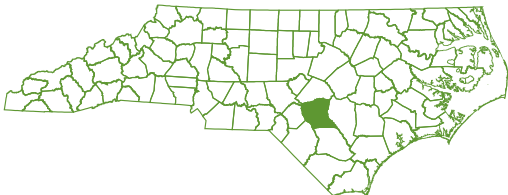
COLUMBUS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	599,880	Corn for Grain: Bu.	32,200	122	3,920,000	6
Number of Farms	514	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	4,320	791	7,120	33
Total Land in Farms: Acres	141,080	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	274	Soybeans: Bu.	60,900	33	1,987,000	11
Harvested Cropland: Acres	101,461	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.2	Wheat: Bu.	5,140	51	262,000	32
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$460,433,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$80,222,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$225,258					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			3,250,000	47
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			5,100	47
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			2,800	46
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			230,000	10
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			1,800	65
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			113,260,018	31
		Crops			82,373,487	18
		Government Payments			6,841,034	15
		Total			202,474,539	28

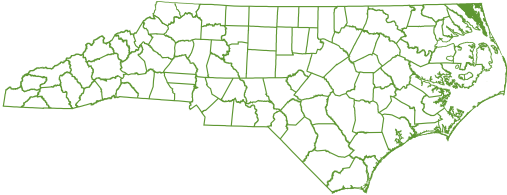
CRAVEN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	453,695	Corn for Grain: Bu.	14,700	116	1,707,000	19
Number of Farms	245	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	7,360	946	14,500	24
Total Land in Farms: Acres	81,360	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	332	Soybeans: Bu.	20,600	42	859,000	29
Harvested Cropland: Acres	58,565	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Wheat: Bu.	2,050	61	125,000	52
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$320,351,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$43,002,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$222,182					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,200	80	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		69,000	20	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		27,550,676	56	
Crops		44,435,575	37			
Government Payments		4,790,621	22			
Total		76,776,872	55			

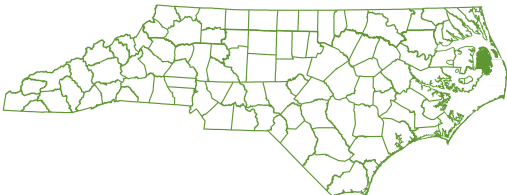
CUMBERLAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	417,211	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,740	102	787,000	39
Number of Farms	336	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	6,910	792	11,400	25
Total Land in Farms: Acres	65,995	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	196	Soybeans: Bu.	18,400	37	673,000	35
Harvested Cropland: Acres	31,082	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57	Wheat: Bu.	3,340	65	216,000	39
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$340,950,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$41,348,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$217,932					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		2,350,000	49	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,900	59	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		90,000	16	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,800	65	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		680,000	11	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		79,537,413	39	
Crops		40,546,746	41			
Government Payments		4,059,848	25			
Total		124,144,007	41			

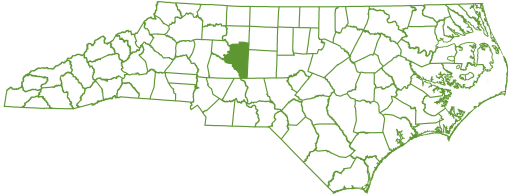
CURRITUCK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	167,608	Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,530	164	1,566,000	21
Number of Farms	89	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	44,834	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	504	Soybeans: Bu.	17,500	42	730,000	33
Harvested Cropland: Acres	34,672	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.2	Wheat: Bu.	3,960	78	307,000	27
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$219,972,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$17,808,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$190,203					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	95	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		124,998	99	
Crops		25,389,247	52			
Government Payments		1,157,222	55			
Total		26,671,467	83			

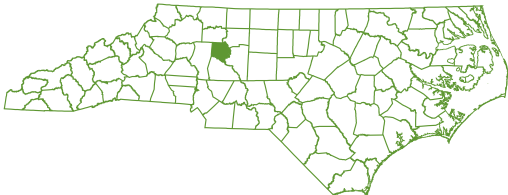
DARE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	245,424	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	32	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	5,342	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	167	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	2,363	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	53.6	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$22,476,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$2,659,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$44,562					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		57,414	100	
Crops		1,550,831	97			
Government Payments		231,921	85			
Total		1,840,166	99			

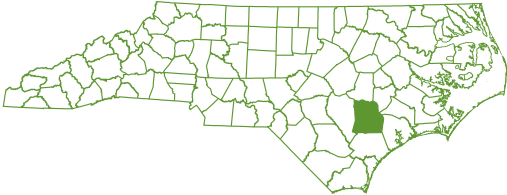
DAVIDSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	353,417	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,980	115	573,000	48
Number of Farms	1,003	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	92,359	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	92	Soybeans: Bu.	11,400	36	415,000	47
Harvested Cropland: Acres	37,894	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59	Wheat: Bu.	2,660	63	168,000	44
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$535,440,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$62,735,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$36,667					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		4,900,000	39	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		11,500	25	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,400	21	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,100	8	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		130,000	21	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		53,202,750	46	
Crops		23,323,416	55			
Government Payments		460,688	73			
Total		76,986,854	54			

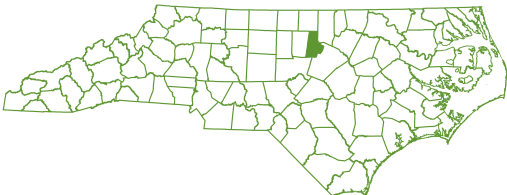
DAVIE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	168,993	Corn for Grain: Bu.	6,160	142	877,000	36
Number of Farms	591	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	76,933	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	130	Soybeans: Bu.	9,400	51	483,000	43
Harvested Cropland: Acres	33,749	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Wheat: Bu.	1,850	70	129,000	50
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$391,502,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$41,963,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$40,725					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		10,200	29	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,400	21	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	25	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		150,000	20	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		17,371,163	64	
Crops		18,690,702	63			
Government Payments		246,320	84			
Total		36,308,185	77			

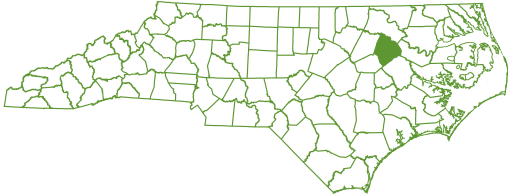
DUPLIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	521,886	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	820	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	4,200	993	8,690	29
Total Land in Farms: Acres	243,098	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	296	Soybeans: Bu.	59,200	37	2,184,000	6
Harvested Cropland: Acres	142,837	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Wheat: Bu.	15,200	58	886,000	4
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,166,390,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$180,987,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$1,035,215					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		92,500,000	1	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		19,200	9	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		11,000	5	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,900,000	1	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		470,000	9	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		3,200,000	4	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		1,519,589,171	1	
Crops		138,590,953	4			
Government Payments		9,369,637	9			
Total		1,667,549,761	1			

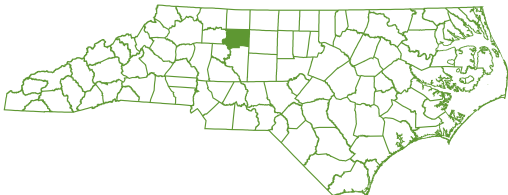
DURHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	183,022	Corn for Grain: Bu.	360	111	40,100	85
Number of Farms	241	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	18,603	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	77	Soybeans: Bu.	1,050	32	33,500	79
Harvested Cropland: Acres	4,429	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.1	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$198,234,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$13,892,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$54,021					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,700	69	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		4,000	52	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		1,873,265	87	
Crops		8,255,040	85			
Government Payments		113,290	92			
Total		10,241,595	90			

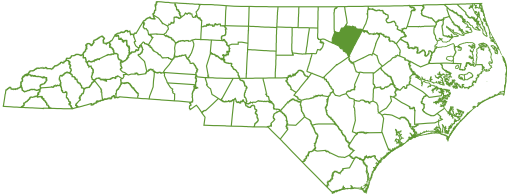
EDGECOMBE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	323,276	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,040	103	825,000	37
Number of Farms	249	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	27,700	1,078	62,200	5
Total Land in Farms: Acres	148,917	Peanuts: Lbs.	8,440	4,700	39,670,000	3
Average Farm Size: Acres	598	Soybeans: Bu.	43,300	34	1,459,000	15
Harvested Cropland: Acres	98,642	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	9,300	180	1,678,000	4
Average Age of Farmers	59.1	Wheat: Bu.	5,520	64	351,000	23
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$454,073,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$69,188,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$523,996					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			13,200,000	20
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			1,800	67
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			1,000	67
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			80,000	18
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			105,000	25
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			129,591,608	29
		Crops			123,556,472	5
		Government Payments			12,251,799	3
		Total			265,399,879	18

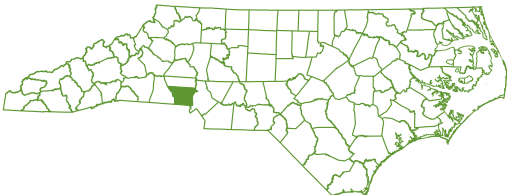
FORSYTH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	261,220	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	557	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	34,801	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	62	Soybeans: Bu.	5,270	38	199,000	62
Harvested Cropland: Acres	12,364	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.6	Wheat: Bu.	930	53	49,200	69
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$323,900,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,107,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$22,968					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			3,500	53
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			2,300	51
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			2,200	60
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			3,570,110	82
		Crops			11,714,830	79
		Government Payments			911,226	61
		Total			16,196,166	86

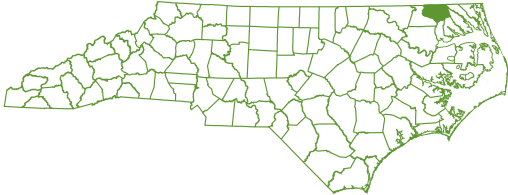
FRANKLIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,701	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,970	110	217,000	64
Number of Farms	538	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	107,967	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	201	Soybeans: Bu.	19,200	33	639,000	37
Harvested Cropland: Acres	37,105	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.2	Wheat: Bu.	6,710	56	377,000	21
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$383,906,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$54,342,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$99,374					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		990,000	56	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		12,900	20	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,400	21	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		13,000	36	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		155,000	19	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		26,373,001	57	
Crops		56,675,121	28			
Government Payments		2,103,203	37			
Total		85,151,325	49			

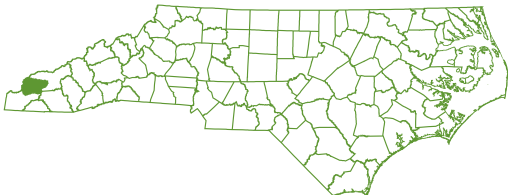
GASTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	227,856	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	522	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	37,695	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	72	Soybeans: Bu.	2,950	40	118,000	68
Harvested Cropland: Acres	13,301	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	930	67	62,500	65
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$231,499,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,188,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$37,271					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		3,700,000	46	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,300	39	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		12,000	50	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		33,571,203	52	
Crops		5,533,806	90			
Government Payments		196,093	86			
Total		39,301,102	73			

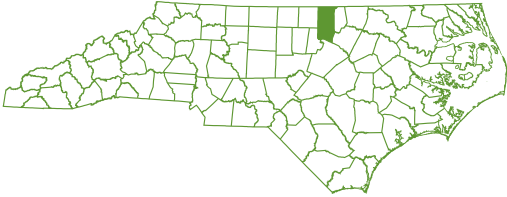
GATES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	217,884	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,630	107	387,000	54
Number of Farms	141	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	13,000	1,211	32,800	8
Total Land in Farms: Acres	57,985	Peanuts: Lbs.	3,470	4,326	15,010,000	14
Average Farm Size: Acres	411	Soybeans: Bu.	20,000	40	796,000	32
Harvested Cropland: Acres	43,874	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Wheat: Bu.	3,540	68	241,000	33
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$210,221,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$32,707,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$357,198					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		10,200,000	26	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		400	89	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		22,000	30	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		81,533,517	38	
Crops		32,858,948	46			
Government Payments		4,170,513	23			
Total		118,562,978	43			

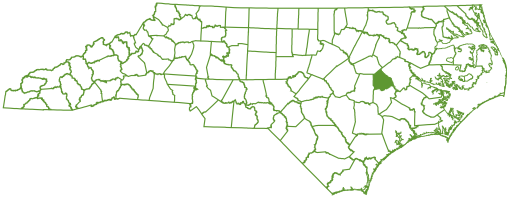
GRAHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	186,915	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	123	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	10,998	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	89	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	2,579	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.3	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$52,658,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$9,714,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$12,535					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,400	77	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		2,794,525	85	
Crops		586,210	99			
Government Payments		10,641	100			
Total		3,391,376	96			

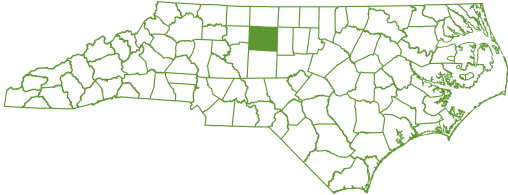
GRANVILLE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	339,838	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,700	123	209,000	67
Number of Farms	557	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	124,813	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	224	Soybeans: Bu.	8,450	33	278,000	59
Harvested Cropland: Acres	27,303	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.7	Wheat: Bu.	1,710	51	86,900	60
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$434,850,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,488,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$51,635					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		7,300	37	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,200	48	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		3,300	56	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		5,647,020	79	
Crops		21,892,076	58			
Government Payments		1,348,008	50			
Total		28,887,104	81			

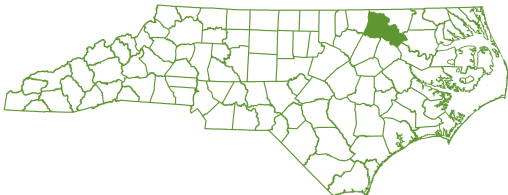
GREENE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	170,201	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,600	99	1,052,000	31
Number of Farms	207	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,630	1,018	18,300	21
Total Land in Farms: Acres	83,322	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,660	4,131	23,380,000	9
Average Farm Size: Acres	403	Soybeans: Bu.	32,400	40	1,306,000	19
Harvested Cropland: Acres	66,612	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.7	Wheat: Bu.	8,190	58	476,000	14
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$328,742,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$48,672,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$900,852					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		3,750,000	45	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,500	74	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		800	73	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		330,000	6	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		995,000	9	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		191,240,613	22	
Crops		85,780,677	17			
Government Payments		7,532,615	14			
Total		284,553,905	15			

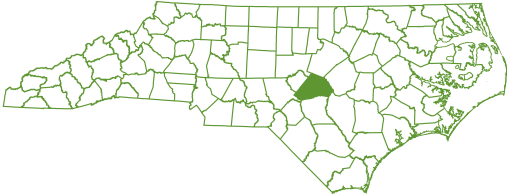
GUILFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	413,565	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,360	114	495,000	50
Number of Farms	854	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	76,352	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	89	Soybeans: Bu.	10,000	37	367,000	52
Harvested Cropland: Acres	33,102	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Wheat: Bu.	3,880	61	237,000	34
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$624,412,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$59,693,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$55,631					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		10,000	30	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		4,300	31	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,000	10	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		2,000	45	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		335,000	13	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		31,241,128	54	
Crops		34,804,593	43			
Government Payments		2,058,167	39			
Total		68,103,888	60			

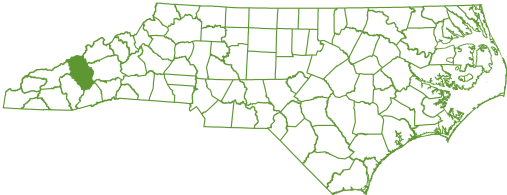
HALIFAX COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	463,414	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	336	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	47,400	1,127	111,300	1
Total Land in Farms: Acres	209,073	Peanuts: Lbs.	8,240	4,745	39,100,000	4
Average Farm Size: Acres	622	Soybeans: Bu.	34,500	37	1,273,000	20
Harvested Cropland: Acres	123,274	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$536,452,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$82,454,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$341,393					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,000	48	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		40,000	26	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		98,000	26	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		31,449,361	53	
Crops		101,309,717	13			
Government Payments		8,941,602	10			
Total		141,700,680	38			

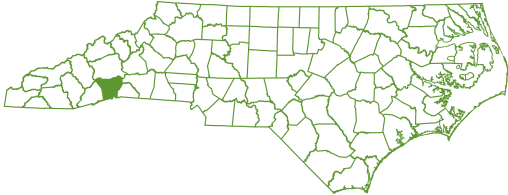
HARNETT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	380,757	Corn for Grain: Bu.	6,660	118	784,000	40
Number of Farms	643	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	6,760	731	10,300	28
Total Land in Farms: Acres	106,262	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	165	Soybeans: Bu.	23,400	27	627,000	38
Harvested Cropland: Acres	59,854	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	2,200	230	510,000	10
Average Age of Farmers	58.1	Wheat: Bu.	5,290	62	329,000	26
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$592,383,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$82,811,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$215,573					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			24,400,000	15
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			6,200	41
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			85,000	17
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			2,700	59
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			211,467,602	17
Crops			60,783,245	26		
Government Payments			5,156,582	21		
Total			277,407,429	16		

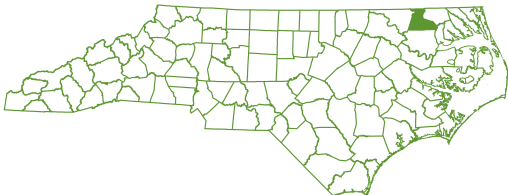
HAYWOOD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	354,344	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	541	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	52,244	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	97	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	9,254	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$337,569,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$33,239,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$29,392					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			*	*
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			10,600	27
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			4,400	29
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			1,100	8
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			2,000	61
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			12,770,821	66
Crops			5,401,381	91		
Government Payments			1,015,326	57		
Total			19,187,528	85		

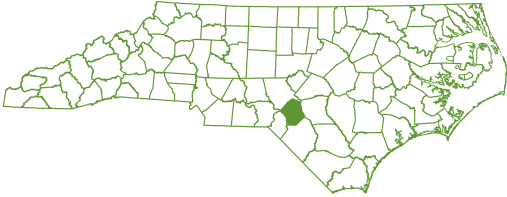
HENDERSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	238,691	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,330	164	382,000	55
Number of Farms	455	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	41,099	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	90	Soybeans: Bu.	300	45	13,400	84
Harvested Cropland: Acres	18,597	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.8	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$318,783,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$43,760,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$128,102					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,000	56	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		3,600	54	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		4,354,724	81	
Crops		64,220,381	24			
Government Payments		11,387,312	5			
Total		79,962,417	52			

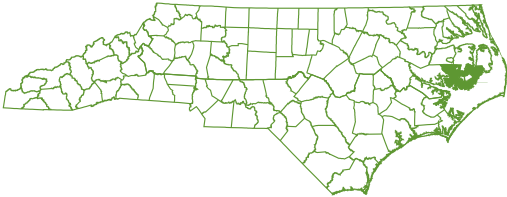
HERTFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	226,028	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,520	120	904,000	33
Number of Farms	126	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	16,900	1,170	41,200	7
Total Land in Farms: Acres	80,902	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,460	4,897	26,740,000	7
Average Farm Size: Acres	642	Soybeans: Bu.	13,300	34	455,000	46
Harvested Cropland: Acres	53,364	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$258,767,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$34,654,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$846,285					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		12,400,000	22	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	95	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		100	94	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		103,393,647	33	
Crops		47,458,327	32			
Government Payments		6,156,121	18			
Total		157,008,095	36			


HOKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	250,076	Corn for Grain: Bu.	6,800	98	664,000	43
Number of Farms	189	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	53,647	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	284	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	27,545	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$236,171,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$24,897,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$284,959					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		4,400,000	40	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,200	80	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		700	80	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		80,000	18	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		65,000	20	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		66,479,034	42	
Crops		16,563,492	70			
Government Payments		878,419	63			
Total		83,920,945	50			

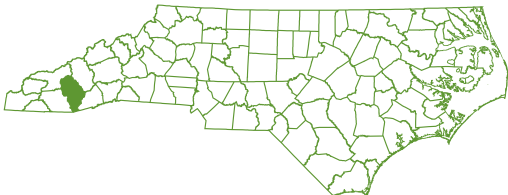
HYDE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	392,146	Corn for Grain: Bu.	29,400	157	4,620,000	4
Number of Farms	138	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,500	1,217	31,700	10
Total Land in Farms: Acres	124,874	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	905	Soybeans: Bu.	34,600	50	1,730,000	12
Harvested Cropland: Acres	84,879	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	52.3	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$371,344,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$45,055,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$683,440					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	95	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		100	94	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		158,100,467	26	
Crops		87,934,758	15			
Government Payments		3,143,620	29			
Total		249,178,845	21			

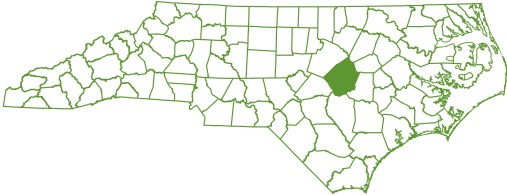
IREDELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	367,488	Corn for Grain: Bu.	15,000	148	2,213,000	14
Number of Farms	1,055	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	133,346	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	126	Soybeans: Bu.	17,100	49	841,000	31
Harvested Cropland: Acres	61,586	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.5	Wheat: Bu.	8,000	57	453,000	15
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$725,081,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$84,790,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$84,786					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		1,850,000	52	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		42,500	1	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		12,100	4	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		9,200	1	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		575,000	7	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		117,196,514	30	
Crops		46,320,455	35			
Government Payments		983,367	59			
Total		164,500,336	35			

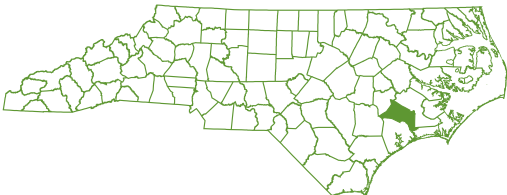
JACKSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,055	Corn for Grain: Bu.	110	131	14,400	91
Number of Farms	215	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	15,729	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	73	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	4,058	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	61.7	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$128,892,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$13,332,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$50,126					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,600	71	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		800	73	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		851,040	93	
Crops		8,262,975	84			
Government Payments		55,356	95			
Total		9,169,371	92			

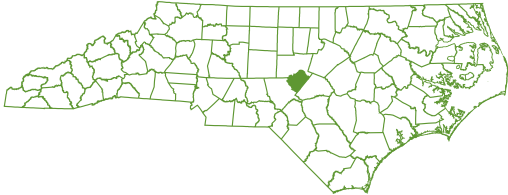
JOHNSTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	506,377	Corn for Grain: Bu.	6,250	97	608,000	45
Number of Farms	1,063	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	6,250	845	11,000	26
Total Land in Farms: Acres	183,281	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	172	Soybeans: Bu.	46,800	30	1,418,000	16
Harvested Cropland: Acres	118,446	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	9,700	155	1,504,000	5
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	5,990	65	390,000	19
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$868,869,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$125,394,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$198,587					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			6,800,000	38
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			12,700	21
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			150,000	12
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			430,000	12
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			133,687,014	28
Crops			117,564,837	7		
Government Payments			5,817,415	19		
Total			257,069,266	20		

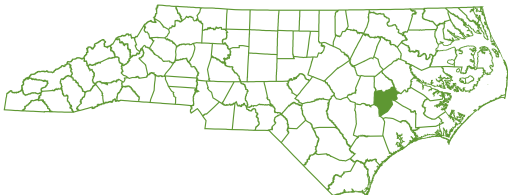
JONES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	301,576	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,000	101	1,216,000	27
Number of Farms	177	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	10,000	965	20,100	17
Total Land in Farms: Acres	65,649	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	371	Soybeans: Bu.	23,100	44	1,023,000	26
Harvested Cropland: Acres	45,858	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	55.5	Wheat: Bu.	2,310	55	128,000	51
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$266,134,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$40,410,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$868,674					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			13,000,000	21
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			800	82
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			500	82
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			230,000	10
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			340,000	14
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			191,691,392	21
Crops			39,999,794	42		
Government Payments			3,640,620	27		
Total			235,331,806	22		

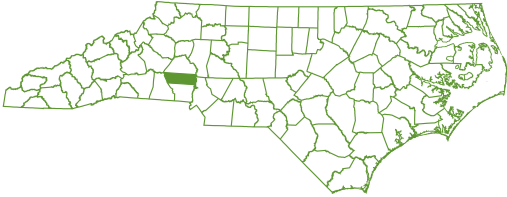
LEE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	163,168	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,340	111	149,300	74
Number of Farms	250	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	35,170	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	141	Soybeans: Bu.	4,070	37	149,000	64
Harvested Cropland: Acres	16,005	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	200	180	36,000	26
Average Age of Farmers	58.1	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$202,714,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$27,122,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$164,406					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		8,550,000	32	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,100	55	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,800	57	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		65,504,340	43	
Crops		13,431,228	74			
Government Payments		1,633,566	43			
Total		80,569,134	51			

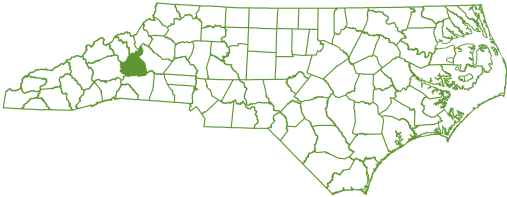
LENOIR COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	255,858	Corn for Grain: Bu.	18,800	135	2,540,000	12
Number of Farms	386	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	10,400	900	19,500	19
Total Land in Farms: Acres	113,708	Peanuts: Lbs.	2,180	4,266	9,300,000	19
Average Farm Size: Acres	295	Soybeans: Bu.	38,800	41	1,579,000	14
Harvested Cropland: Acres	82,568	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Wheat: Bu.	5,590	50	282,000	30
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$452,590,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$98,833,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$594,615					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		9,400,000	28	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,500	53	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		255,000	8	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		130,000	21	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		1,350,000	7	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		222,977,490	16	
Crops		92,574,302	14			
Government Payments		5,505,383	20			
Total		321,057,175	13			

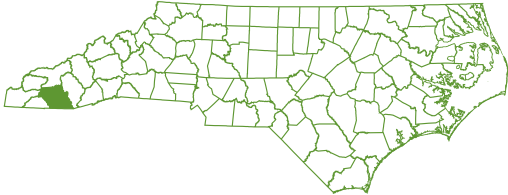
LINCOLN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	190,683	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,550	107	166,500	72
Number of Farms	614	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	54,080	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	88	Soybeans: Bu.	7,700	40	310,000	56
Harvested Cropland: Acres	25,985	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Wheat: Bu.	3,230	68	218,000	36
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$309,944,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$37,167,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$66,964					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		7,250,000	37	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		15,200	15	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		4,400	29	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,800	3	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		3,900	53	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		75,758,988	40	
Crops		10,828,121	80			
Government Payments		878,475	62			
Total		87,465,584	48			

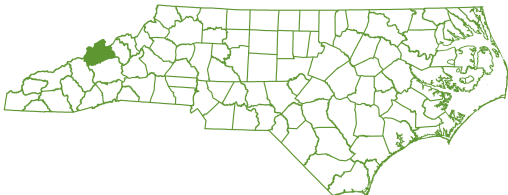
MCDOWELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	282,219	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	333	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	22,997	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	69	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	4,945	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.3	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$120,908,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$21,266,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$53,187					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		1,900,000	51	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,900	59	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,200	65	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	25	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		17,400	45	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		17,916,219	63	
Crops		21,278,251	59			
Government Payments		503,369	70			
Total		39,697,839	72			

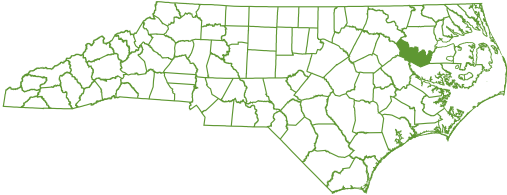
MACON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	329,964	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	340	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	19,775	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	58	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	3,708	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.8	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$157,524,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$14,446,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$18,874					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		1,800	66	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,000	56	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,900	53	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,900	63	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		7,818,229	74	
Crops		2,285,323	95			
Government Payments		53,398	96			
Total		10,156,950	91			

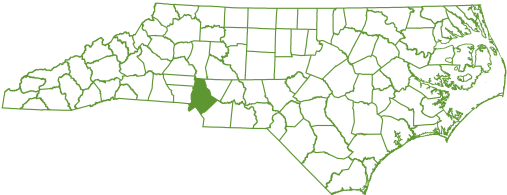
MADISON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	287,629	Corn for Grain: Bu.	330	147	48,500	84
Number of Farms	639	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	56,761	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	89	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	7,310	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$281,451,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$22,310,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$14,424					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		4,600	63	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,800	45	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,400	39	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		3,200	57	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		3,190,926	84	
Crops		3,498,107	93			
Government Payments		152,955	88			
Total		6,841,988	94			

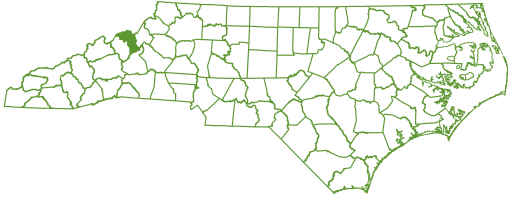
MARTIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	295,152	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,450	97	432,000	51	
Number of Farms	332	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	30,700	1,155	73,900	4	
Total Land in Farms: Acres	140,980	Peanuts: Lbs.	9,510	4,902	46,620,000	1	
Average Farm Size: Acres	425	Soybeans: Bu.	24,000	36	874,000	28	
Harvested Cropland: Acres	97,775	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Age of Farmers	58.8	Wheat: Bu.	4,890	60	291,000	28	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$377,579,000						
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$68,630,000						
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$229,476						
		Livestock			Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)			2,100,000	50	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			1,400	77	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2021				Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry				22,160,664	60
Crops				80,005,888	20		
Government Payments				13,437,651	2		
Total				115,604,203	44		

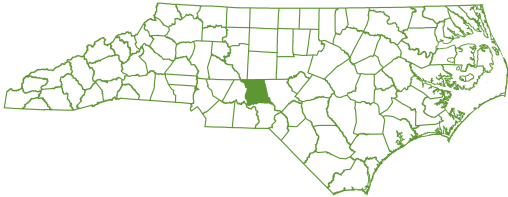
MECKLENBURG COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank	
Total Acres in County	335,216	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Number of Farms	216	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*	
Total Land in Farms: Acres	11,674	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*	
Average Farm Size: Acres	54	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Harvested Cropland: Acres	5,421	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*	
Average Age of Farmers	60.4	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*	
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$400,280,000						
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$39,530,000						
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*						
		Livestock			Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)			*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			1,800	67	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			1,200	70	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2021				Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry				3,464,552	83
Crops				197,087,294	1		
Government Payments				38,404	97		
Total				200,590,250	29		

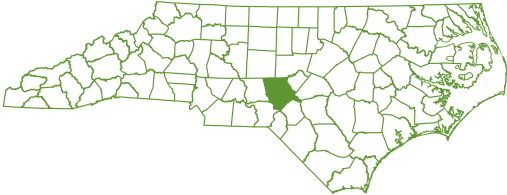
MITCHELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	141,718	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	250	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	14,802	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	59	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	2,360	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$86,078,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$12,511,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$14,591					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,500	74	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		900	68	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		829,453	94	
Crops		1,822,449	96			
Government Payments		143,511	90			
Total		2,795,413	97			

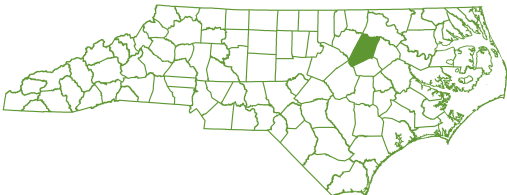
MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	314,730	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	240	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	33,521	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	140	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	8,367	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$158,986,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,419,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$391,532					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		28,000,000	13	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,200	41	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,000	44	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		115,000	24	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		208,501,611	18	
Crops		10,145,843	82			
Government Payments		494,625	71			
Total		219,142,079	25			

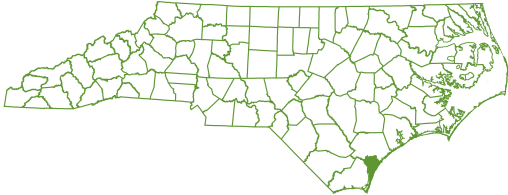
MOORE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	446,491	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,630	99	360,000	57
Number of Farms	733	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	89,375	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	122	Soybeans: Bu.	3,530	26	90,000	71
Harvested Cropland: Acres	17,909	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.8	Wheat: Bu.	1,200	62	74,900	61
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$455,909,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$60,168,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$140,566					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			31,500,000	11
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			10,400	28
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			36,000	41
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			241,531,265	14
Crops			17,770,546	65		
Government Payments			1,314,839	51		
Total			260,616,650	19		

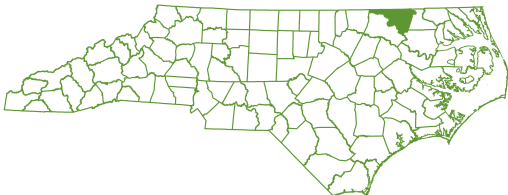
NASH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	345,751	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,990	96	287,000	61
Number of Farms	425	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,690	1,060	21,400	15
Total Land in Farms: Acres	129,478	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	305	Soybeans: Bu.	28,800	37	1,068,000	25
Harvested Cropland: Acres	85,870	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	7,800	160	1,237,000	6
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	1,770	55	96,500	57
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$599,074,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$105,305,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$357,619					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			7,300,000	36
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			5,900	43
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			2,700	47
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			53,000	22
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			310,000	15
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			88,838,940	36
Crops			103,422,712	12		
Government Payments			6,462,444	16		
Total			198,724,096	30		

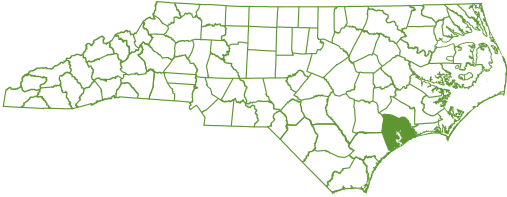
NEW HANOVER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	122,569	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	59	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	879	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	15	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	183	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	53.8	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$29,921,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$6,278,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$130,886					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		165,361	98	
Crops		6,607,554	88			
Government Payments		28,285	98			
Total		6,801,200	95			

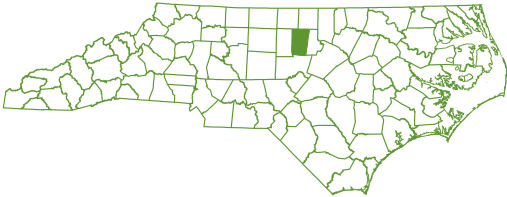
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	343,409	Corn for Grain: Bu.	10,100	128	1,296,000	24
Number of Farms	272	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	34,200	1,213	86,400	2
Total Land in Farms: Acres	170,170	Peanuts: Lbs.	7,840	4,304	33,740,000	6
Average Farm Size: Acres	626	Soybeans: Bu.	35,700	35	1,246,000	21
Harvested Cropland: Acres	101,343	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.4	Wheat: Bu.	4,400	61	270,000	31
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$475,899,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$63,960,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$319,322					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		8,800,000	30	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,500	74	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		800	73	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		110,000	15	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		105,290,064	32	
Crops		74,364,511	22			
Government Payments		11,283,922	6			
Total		190,938,497	32			

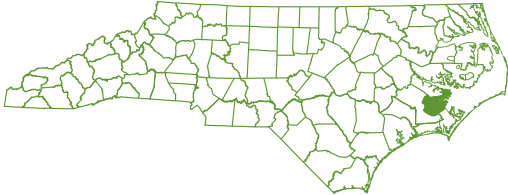
ONslow COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	489,752	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,720	117	899,000	34
Number of Farms	340	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	52,473	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	154	Soybeans: Bu.	13,200	36	475,000	45
Harvested Cropland: Acres	29,784	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.3	Wheat: Bu.	3,080	51	157,000	46
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$329,716,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$31,951,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$317,837					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		3,100,000	48	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,000	66	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,300	62	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		130,000	13	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		3,400	55	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		1,650,000	5	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		137,023,776	27	
Crops		28,441,079	50			
Government Payments		3,449,236	28			
Total		168,914,091	34			

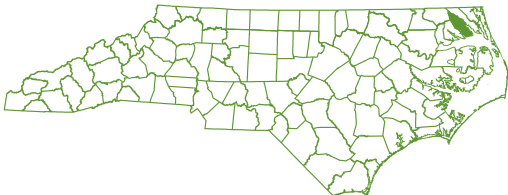
ORANGE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	254,461	Corn for Grain: Bu.	2,040	142	290,000	60
Number of Farms	686	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	69,908	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	102	Soybeans: Bu.	3,190	38	121,000	67
Harvested Cropland: Acres	25,012	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.5	Wheat: Bu.	900	60	53,700	66
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$467,376,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$46,984,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$50,122					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		5,000	62	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		10,000	30	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		4,700	27	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		500	22	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		175,000	18	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		21,267,018	62	
Crops		20,337,816	62			
Government Payments		331,360	80			
Total		41,936,194	69			

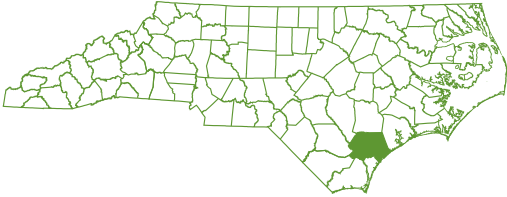
PAMLICO COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	215,643	Corn for Grain: Bu.	13,500	151	2,043,000	16
Number of Farms	100	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	43,262	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	433	Soybeans: Bu.	17,700	48	850,000	30
Harvested Cropland: Acres	36,022	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.6	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$157,996,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$26,679,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$191,069					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		100	98	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		607,355	96	
Crops		30,606,971	48			
Government Payments		1,426,956	48			
Total		32,641,282	79			

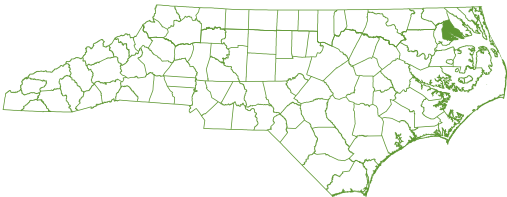
PASQUOTANK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	145,203	Corn for Grain: Bu.	19,700	170	3,345,000	9
Number of Farms	126	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	72,174	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	573	Soybeans: Bu.	48,300	48	2,294,000	3
Harvested Cropland: Acres	68,559	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.1	Wheat: Bu.	6,520	75	489,000	13
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$287,539,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$43,662,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$327,601					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	91	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		200	89	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		351,067	97	
Crops		71,481,977	23			
Government Payments		1,634,134	42			
Total		73,467,178	57			

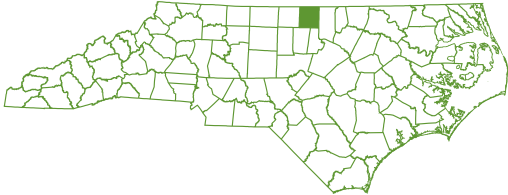
PENDER COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	556,656	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	336	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	64,484	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	192	Soybeans: Bu.	17,100	39	663,000	36
Harvested Cropland: Acres	31,410	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$344,929,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$33,239,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$395,269					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		9,200,000	29	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,700	61	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,500	59	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		250,000	9	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		215,000	16	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		173,120,118	24	
Crops		47,138,356	34			
Government Payments		1,560,916	45			
Total		221,819,390	24			

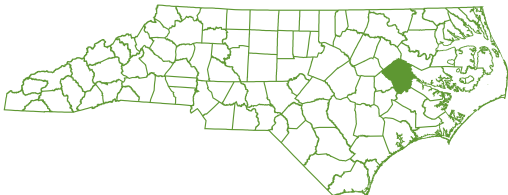
PERQUIMANS COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	158,159	Corn for Grain: Bu.	12,700	154	1,949,000	17
Number of Farms	149	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,810	1,233	25,200	12
Total Land in Farms: Acres	80,322	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	539	Soybeans: Bu.	45,400	44	1,989,000	10
Harvested Cropland: Acres	73,020	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.9	Wheat: Bu.	13,200	75	995,000	3
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$285,977,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$44,748,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$350,921					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		7,800,000	35	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		600	87	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		400	84	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		57,811,886	45	
Crops		64,196,458	25			
Government Payments		2,230,620	35			
Total		124,238,964	40			

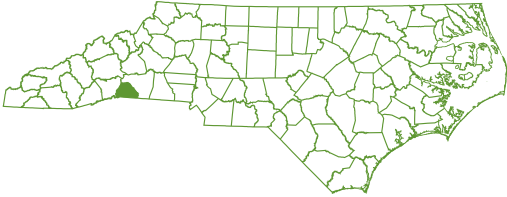
PERSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	251,069	Corn for Grain: Bu.	3,150	117	369,000	56
Number of Farms	393	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	82,194	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	209	Soybeans: Bu.	13,900	29	404,000	48
Harvested Cropland: Acres	36,385	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	54.7	Wheat: Bu.	7,970	53	422,000	16
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$310,527,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$42,060,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$87,435					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,700	38	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		4,400	43	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,200	70	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		5,924,465	78	
Crops		33,893,621	44			
Government Payments		2,982,260	30			
Total		42,800,346	68			

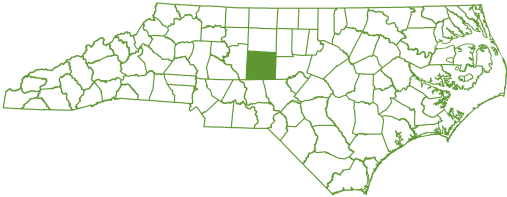
PITT COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	417,012	Corn for Grain: Bu.	13,500	100	1,353,000	23
Number of Farms	478	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	21,400	1,023	45,600	6
Total Land in Farms: Acres	186,412	Peanuts: Lbs.	8,390	4,453	37,360,000	5
Average Farm Size: Acres	390	Soybeans: Bu.	56,600	37	2,083,000	8
Harvested Cropland: Acres	135,203	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56	Wheat: Bu.	6,750	51	345,000	24
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$716,751,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$87,525,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$393,282					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		18,000,000	19	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,400	64	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		270,000	7	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,100	74	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		240,751,775	15	
Crops		105,655,348	11			
Government Payments		10,535,596	7			
Total		356,942,719	11			

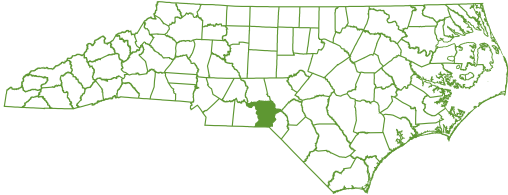
POLK COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	152,222	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	281	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	29,102	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	104	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	5,487	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$187,473,000		*	*	*	*
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$14,179,000		*	*	*	*
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$37,856					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,000	56	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,600	58	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		100	31	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,700	67	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		4,626,419	80	
Crops		5,763,159	89			
Government Payments		325,885	81			
Total		10,715,463	89			

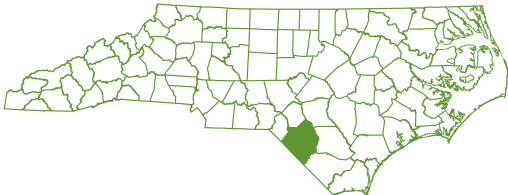
RANDOLPH COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	503,162	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,630	128	1,105,000	30
Number of Farms	1,368	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	147,781	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	108	Soybeans: Bu.	11,300	36	403,000	49
Harvested Cropland: Acres	54,527	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	5,810	69	398,000	18
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$746,579,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$105,354,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$138,251					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		41,100,000	7	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		39,500	2	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		15,100	1	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,700	2	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		9,500	37	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		685,000	5	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		385,864,774	9	
Crops		28,165,922	51			
Government Payments		1,357,717	49			
Total		415,388,413	10			

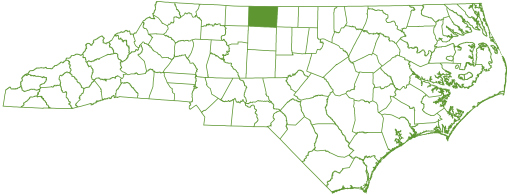
RICHMOND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	302,998	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	237	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	59,173	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	250	Soybeans: Bu.	2,470	31	77,000	74
Harvested Cropland: Acres	15,232	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$258,300,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$27,248,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$498,009					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		37,300,000	9	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,600	62	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,400	60	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		45,000	24	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		283,661,468	12	
Crops		8,716,096	83			
Government Payments		1,618,979	44			
Total		293,996,543	14			

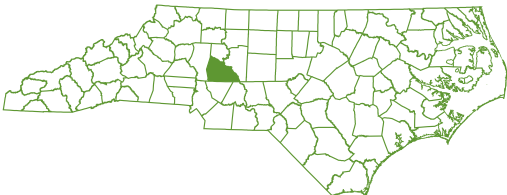
ROBESON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	607,208	Corn for Grain: Bu.	59,500	108	6,449,000	1
Number of Farms	722	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	12,800	889	23,700	14
Total Land in Farms: Acres	263,740	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	365	Soybeans: Bu.	84,400	28	2,346,000	2
Harvested Cropland: Acres	192,147	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.5	Wheat: Bu.	22,200	57	1,272,000	2
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$874,418,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$131,881,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$370,646					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		44,600,000	6	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,200	46	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,300	40	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		345,000	5	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		2,000	61	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		455,031,670	7	
Crops		118,385,081	6			
Government Payments		6,275,407	17			
Total		579,692,159	5			


ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	361,953	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,850	105	193,400	69
Number of Farms	844	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	124,613	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	148	Soybeans: Bu.	7,950	42	335,000	55
Harvested Cropland: Acres	32,925	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58	Wheat: Bu.	3,560	56	200,000	41
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$482,657,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$58,896,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$42,844					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		11,800	24	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		5,200	25	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	25	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		11,140,559	70	
Crops		23,621,655	54			
Government Payments		1,871,853	41			
Total		36,634,067	76			

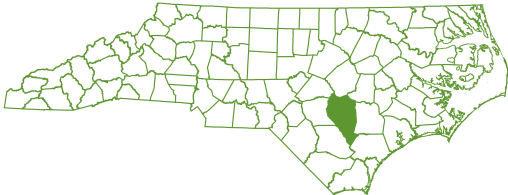
ROWAN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	327,141	Corn for Grain: Bu.	9,610	115	1,109,000	29
Number of Farms	925	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	118,914	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	129	Soybeans: Bu.	21,200	52	1,094,000	24
Harvested Cropland: Acres	60,433	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Wheat: Bu.	7,970	74	587,000	10
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$695,620,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$96,084,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$75,540					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		3,850,000	43	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		19,700	8	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		8,000	10	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,200	5	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		63,000	34	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		50,005,509	48	
Crops		55,712,556	29			
Government Payments		737,662	64			
Total		106,455,727	45			

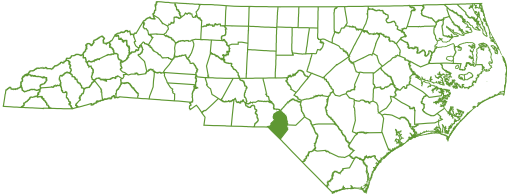
RUTHERFORD COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	361,034	Corn for Grain: Bu.	650	97	62,900	81
Number of Farms	620	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	59,921	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	97	Soybeans: Bu.	1,390	33	46,000	77
Harvested Cropland: Acres	13,115	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.6	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$286,514,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$29,448,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$52,102					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			9,700,000	27
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			7,400	36
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			4,200	32
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			*	*
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			67,000	32
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			*	*
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			75,694,711	41
		Crops			3,235,830	94
		Government Payments			444,891	74
		Total			79,375,432	53


SAMPSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	604,599	Corn for Grain: Bu.	32,300	110	3,550,000	7
Number of Farms	960	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	16,000	825	27,500	11
Total Land in Farms: Acres	301,248	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	314	Soybeans: Bu.	62,200	35	2,177,000	7
Harvested Cropland: Acres	177,866	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	15,300	180	2,749,000	1
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	11,400	55	622,000	8
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$1,473,352,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$258,705,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$939,242					
		Livestock			Number	Rank
		Broilers Produced (2022)			40,600,000	8
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)			20,500	6
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)			*	*
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)			1,900,000	1
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)			345,000	12
		Turkeys Raised (2022)			6,700,000	1
		Cash Receipts - 2022			Dollars	Rank
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry			1,294,340,042	2
		Crops			183,070,590	2
		Government Payments			22,033,618	1
		Total			1,499,444,250	2

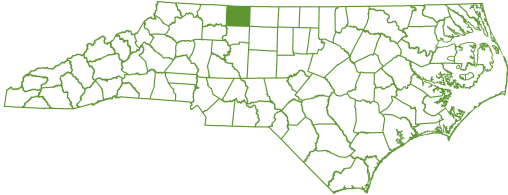
SCOTLAND COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	204,293	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	108	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	54,853	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	508	Soybeans: Bu.	11,500	35	400,000	50
Harvested Cropland: Acres	27,421	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.8	Wheat: Bu.	3,790	52	198,000	42
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$197,464,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$21,201,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$692,762					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		22,000,000	17	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		800	82	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		500	82	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		198,642,418	20	
Crops		16,962,318	69			
Government Payments		1,452,607	47			
Total		217,057,343	26			

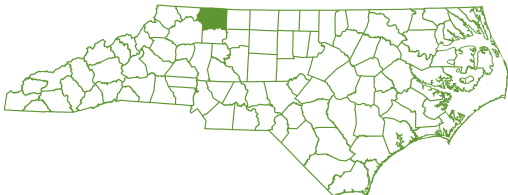
STANLY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	252,836	Corn for Grain: Bu.	11,900	108	1,286,000	25
Number of Farms	672	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	10,800	911	20,500	16
Total Land in Farms: Acres	95,867	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	143	Soybeans: Bu.	17,300	31	529,000	42
Harvested Cropland: Acres	49,883	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.9	Wheat: Bu.	8,490	65	550,000	12
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$440,879,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$61,414,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$95,460					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		8,600,000	31	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		14,000	17	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		7,600	11	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	25	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		685,000	10	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		97,725,004	34	
Crops		33,199,851	45			
Government Payments		2,290,807	34			
Total		133,215,662	39			

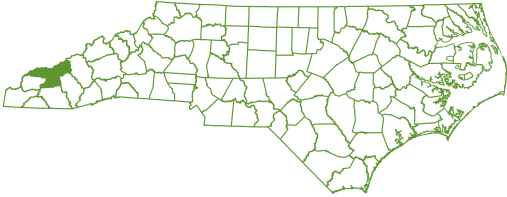
STOKES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	287,269	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,550	139	216,000	65
Number of Farms	856	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	92,904	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	109	Soybeans: Bu.	2,300	43	99,500	70
Harvested Cropland: Acres	23,730	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.4	Wheat: Bu.	150	55	8,300	79
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$379,435,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$51,975,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$42,709					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		4,200,000	42	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		11,200	26	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		120,000	23	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		40,968,378	50	
Crops		12,431,921	77			
Government Payments		959,900	60			
Total		54,360,199	66			

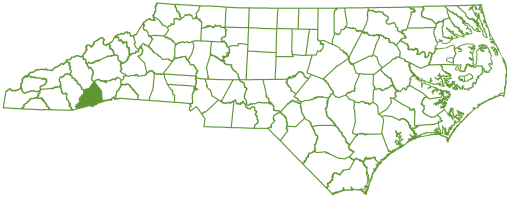
SURRY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	340,586	Corn for Grain: Bu.	8,820	138	1,221,000	26
Number of Farms	1,064	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	152,452	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	143	Soybeans: Bu.	13,200	45	597,000	39
Harvested Cropland: Acres	57,966	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Wheat: Bu.	2,080	66	138,000	49
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$681,583,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$102,649,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$149,714					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		35,200,000	10	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		24,500	5	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		11,000	5	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		100	31	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		670,000	6	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		300,525,381	11	
Crops		45,178,193	36			
Government Payments		2,414,665	32			
Total		348,118,239	12			

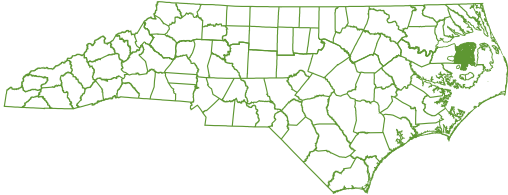
SWAIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	337,978	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	99	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	10,131	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	102	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	859	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.4	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$37,061,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$4,337,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$20,565					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		500	88	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	85	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		796,027	95	
Crops		574,681	100			
Government Payments		145,082	89			
Total		1,515,790	100			

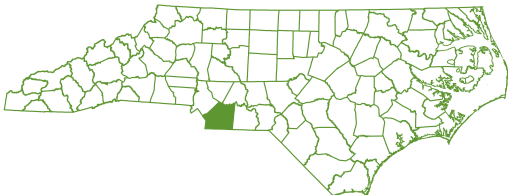
TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	242,162	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,690	153	259,000	62
Number of Farms	215	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	14,684	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	68	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	3,858	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.3	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$113,588,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$12,594,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	*					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		1,700	67	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,600	71	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		900	68	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,200	70	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		6,226,163	77	
Crops		23,148,174	56			
Government Payments		63,508	94			
Total		29,437,845	80			

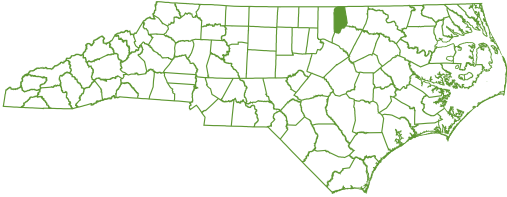
TYRRELL COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	248,980	Corn for Grain: Bu.	23,200	148	3,431,000	8
Number of Farms	68	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	52,946	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	779	Soybeans: Bu.	32,000	51	1,622,000	13
Harvested Cropland: Acres	50,232	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$219,623,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$29,696,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$384,297					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		400	89	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		300	85	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		10,663,776	71	
Crops		57,350,865	27			
Government Payments		2,358,476	33			
Total		70,373,117	58			

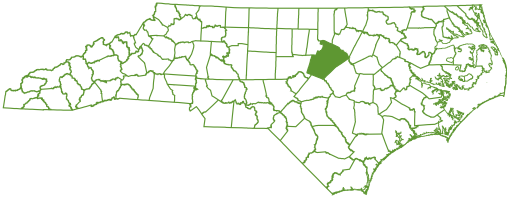
UNION COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	404,160	Corn for Grain: Bu.	26,100	110	2,879,000	10
Number of Farms	957	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	186,626	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	195	Soybeans: Bu.	61,900	36	2,246,000	4
Harvested Cropland: Acres	135,514	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58	Wheat: Bu.	45,800	75	3,449,000	1
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$995,762,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$125,351,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$326,678					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		53,300,000	4	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		18,600	10	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		10,300	8	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		3,650,000	3	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		609,047,915	3	
Crops		110,566,074	10			
Government Payments		4,106,434	24			
Total		723,720,423	3			

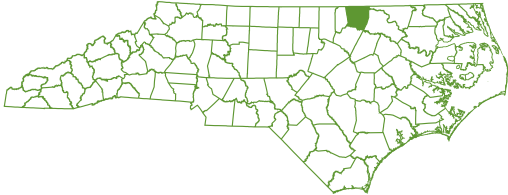
VANCE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	162,248	Corn for Grain: Bu.	170	89	15,100	90
Number of Farms	238	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	66,157	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	278	Soybeans: Bu.	7,470	30	226,000	60
Harvested Cropland: Acres	14,498	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	60.7	Wheat: Bu.	1,740	61	106,000	55
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$197,034,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$27,154,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$69,511					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,600	62	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,300	62	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,300	69	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		1,307,411	89	
Crops		13,507,046	73			
Government Payments		440,964	75			
Total		15,255,421	87			

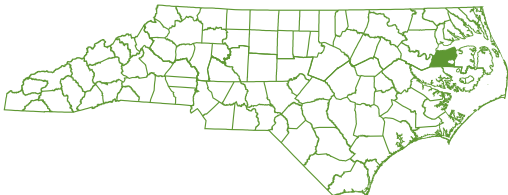
WAKE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	532,415	Corn for Grain: Bu.	780	85	65,900	79
Number of Farms	691	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	77,008	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	111	Soybeans: Bu.	11,200	32	354,000	53
Harvested Cropland: Acres	36,851	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	850	110	91,500	18
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	1,890	51	95,500	58
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$897,744,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$57,245,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$83,213					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		24,000	59	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		4,000	51	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,900	53	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		400	23	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		9,500	51	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		3,000	23	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		10,514,567	72	
Crops		53,218,134	30			
Government Payments		1,259,375	53			
Total		64,992,076	61			

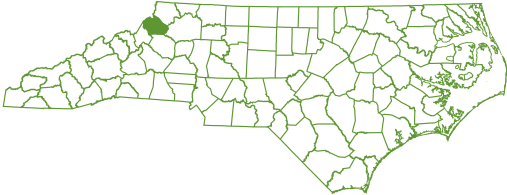
WARREN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	274,207	Corn for Grain: Bu.	1,130	88	99,700	75
Number of Farms	267	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	60,778	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	228	Soybeans: Bu.	11,000	34	373,000	51
Harvested Cropland: Acres	20,314	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.1	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$176,793,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$21,008,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$139,482					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		6,300	39	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		3,600	38	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		20,000	33	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		12,500	48	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		11,326,776	69	
Crops		15,317,504	72			
Government Payments		1,176,472	54			
Total		27,820,752	82			

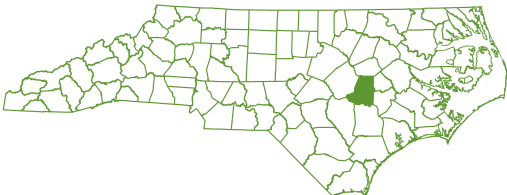
WASHINGTON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	222,843	Corn for Grain: Bu.	28,500	147	4,197,000	5
Number of Farms	141	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	8,190	1,172	20,000	18
Total Land in Farms: Acres	79,680	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	565	Soybeans: Bu.	46,000	48	2,208,000	5
Harvested Cropland: Acres	67,996	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.7	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$292,285,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$50,516,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$303,637					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		700	85	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		100	94	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		6,237,696	76	
Crops		82,001,599	19			
Government Payments		3,984,460	26			
Total		92,223,755	47			

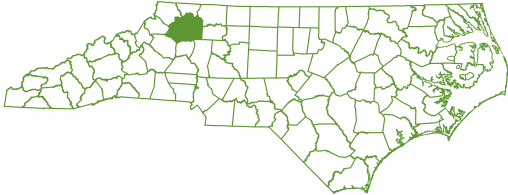
WATAUGA COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	199,388	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	520	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	49,614	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	95	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	11,971	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	59.7	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$319,442,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$30,273,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$28,355					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		12,300	23	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		2,900	58	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		6,678,012	75	
Crops		7,037,530	87			
Government Payments		19,274	99			
Total		13,734,816	88			

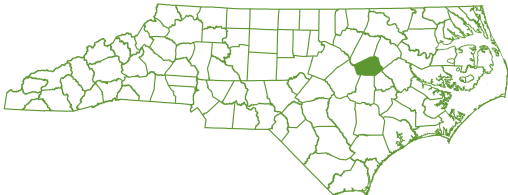
WAYNE COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	353,730	Corn for Grain: Bu.	20,400	103	2,095,000	15
Number of Farms	551	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	9,880	923	19,000	20
Total Land in Farms: Acres	165,345	Peanuts: Lbs.	5,950	4,455	26,510,000	8
Average Farm Size: Acres	300	Soybeans: Bu.	55,000	37	2,019,000	9
Harvested Cropland: Acres	123,617	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Wheat: Bu.	12,400	53	658,000	6
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$825,006,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$122,433,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$713,388					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		11,600,000	23	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		8,000	35	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		380,000	4	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		4,500,000	2	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		410,006,792	8	
Crops		112,193,981	8			
Government Payments		8,179,959	11			
Total		530,380,732	7			

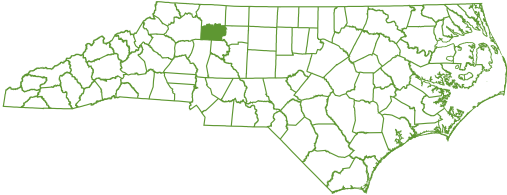
WILKES COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	483,420	Corn for Grain: Bu.	4,920	163	804,000	38
Number of Farms	932	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	106,710	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	114	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	34,798	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	58.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$546,781,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$99,358,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$232,213					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		68,100,000	2	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		29,000	4	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		12,700	3	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,200	5	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		460,000	10	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		523,242,310	4	
Crops		17,446,983	68			
Government Payments		2,086,719	38			
Total		542,776,013	6			

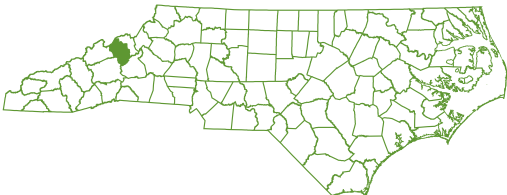
WILSON COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	235,633	Corn for Grain: Bu.	7,840	91	710,000	41
Number of Farms	276	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	7,360	1,070	16,400	22
Total Land in Farms: Acres	122,946	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	445	Soybeans: Bu.	36,500	38	1,387,000	18
Harvested Cropland: Acres	95,746	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	7,800	245	1,897,000	2
Average Age of Farmers	57.1	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$465,231,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$84,013,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$641,070					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		*	*	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		1,700	69	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		900	68	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		38,301,394	51	
Crops		142,656,180	3			
Government Payments		7,672,922	12			
Total		188,630,496	33			

YADKIN COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	214,289	Corn for Grain: Bu.	11,200	149	1,667,000	20
Number of Farms	818	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	87,522	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	107	Soybeans: Bu.	22,500	44	999,000	27
Harvested Cropland: Acres	44,370	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	56.9	Wheat: Bu.	3,220	67	217,000	37
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$478,859,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$61,299,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$117,534					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		8,150,000	34	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		16,000	14	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		1,850,000	2	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		162,730,920	25	
Crops		44,371,577	38			
Government Payments		988,322	58			
Total		208,090,819	27			

YANCEY COUNTY

Census of Agriculture - 2017		Crops - 2022	Acres Harvested	Yield	Production	Rank
Total Acres in County	199,974	Corn for Grain: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Number of Farms	369	Cotton: Lbs.: Production in 480 Lb. Bales	*	*	*	*
Total Land in Farms: Acres	30,824	Peanuts: Lbs.	*	*	*	*
Average Farm Size: Acres	84	Soybeans: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Harvested Cropland: Acres	5,354	Sweet Potatoes: Cwt.	*	*	*	*
Average Age of Farmers	57.2	Wheat: Bu.	*	*	*	*
Average Value of Farm & Buildings	\$167,861,000					
Average Market Value of Machinery & Equipment	\$15,030,000					
Average Total Farm Production Expense	\$16,241					
		Livestock		Number	Rank	
		Broilers Produced (2022)		2,800	65	
		Cattle, All (Jan. 1, 2023)		4,200	50	
		Beef Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		2,400	49	
		Milk Cows (Jan. 1, 2023)		*	*	
		Hogs and Pigs (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Layers (Dec. 1, 2022)		*	*	
		Turkeys Raised (2022)		*	*	
		Cash Receipts - 2022		Dollars	Rank	
		Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry		2,229,986	86	
Crops		4,585,876	92			
Government Payments		466,599	72			
Total		7,282,461	93			

