

2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

District 10, North Carolina

Number of farms: 5,126

Land in farms: 475,329 acres

Average size of farm: 93 acres

Irrigated Land: 5,465 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 7,066

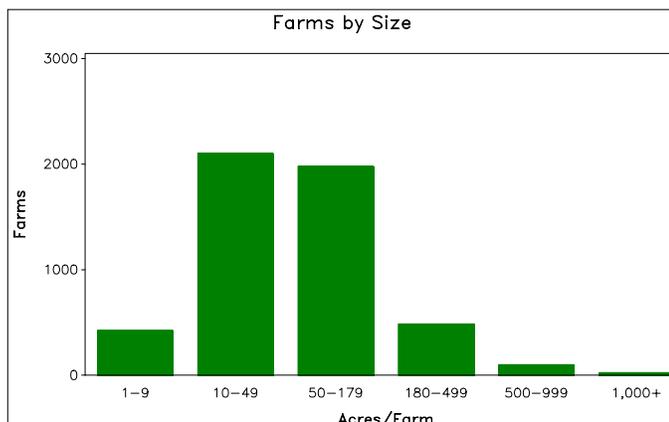
Market Value of Production: \$252,553,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$49,269

Government Payments: \$2,843,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$2,705

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$4,519,000



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United States Department of Agriculture, North Carolina Agricultural Statistics Service**

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Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	252,553	8	13	181	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,545	9	13	209	371
Tobacco	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	106
Cotton and cottonseed	354	7	10	89	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,374	10	13	263	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,546	6	13	219	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	46,636	4	13	85	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	21,020	2	12	4	349
Poultry and eggs	132,348	8	13	48	382
Cattle and calves	18,787	3	13	190	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	15,058	4	13	169	339
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	241	5	13	191	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,967	3	13	143	398
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	13	(D)	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	5,189,457	9	13	57	354
Layers 20 weeks old and older	432,709	6	13	131	387
Turkeys	214,737	7	13	53	356
Cattle and calves	76,528	5	13	191	394
Hogs and pigs	7,250	10	13	160	371
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	77,826	3	13	156	391
Soybeans	24,771	9	13	135	269
All Wheat for grain	14,518	9	13	139	323
Cut Christmas trees	9,226	2	13	11	343
Corn for silage	7,208	4	13	134	330

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales	
Less than \$1,000	1,671
\$1,000 to \$2,499	914
\$2,500 to \$4,999	616
\$5,000 to \$9,999	641
\$10,000 to \$19,999	468
\$20,000 to \$24,999	127
\$25,000 to \$39,999	156
\$40,000 to \$49,999	80
\$50,000 to \$99,999	146
\$100,000 to \$249,999	106
\$250,000 to \$499,999	127
\$500,000 or more	74
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	83,946
Average per farm (\$)	89,020
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	99,322
Average per farm (\$)	19,130

Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Farming	2,719
Other	2,407
Principal operators by sex:	
Male	4,642
Female	484
Average age of principal operator (years)	57.0
All operators ³ by race:	
White	6,853
Black or African American	62
American Indian or Alaska Native	21
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	3
Asian	10
More than one race	12
All operators ³ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	86

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.