



Bertie County North Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	323	-1
Land in farms (acres)	148,113	+1
Average size of farm (acres)	459	+2
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	260,470,000	+16
Government payments	4,249,000	+33
Farm-related income	3,271,000	+49
Total farm production expenses	171,015,000	-6
Net cash farm income	96,975,000	+97
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	806,410	+16
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	20,828	+58
Farm-related income	20,571	+24
Total farm production expenses	529,458	-5
Net cash farm income	300,233	+98

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	31
Livestock, poultry, and products	69

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	76
Pastureland	1
Woodland	21
Other	2

Acres irrigated: 3,178

2% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	20
Reduced till	18
Intensive till	43
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	74	23
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	15	5
\$10,000 to \$24,999	33	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	22	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	4
\$100,000 or more	150	46

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	28	9
10 to 49 acres	59	18
50 to 179 acres	100	31
180 to 499 acres	58	18
500 to 999 acres	43	13
1,000 + acres	35	11

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	260,470	12	100	343	3,077
Crops	80,485	13	100	713	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	23,490	19	99	1,084	2,916
Tobacco	15,728	17	62	27	323
Cotton and cottonseed	13,646	4	52	140	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	5,250	22	100	332	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	10	82	98	1,810	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	98	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	38	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	22,361	1	98	105	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	179,986	14	100	239	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	10	98	70	3,007
Cattle and calves	161	80	100	2,657	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	49	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	27	95	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	76	95	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	77	92	(D)	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	9	54	97	1,521	2,878

Total Producers ^c	477	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 34,957
Male	368	69	Cotton, all 21,298
Female	109		Corn for grain 12,593
Age		Farm organically	Herbs, dried 11,044
<35	29	-	Wheat for grain, all 9,942
35 – 64	284		
65 and older	164		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	2	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 5,863,743
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 725
Black or African American	115	Hire farm labor	Goats 35
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	39	Hogs and pigs (D)
White	362		Horses and ponies 124
More than one race	-	Are family farms	Layers (D)
Other characteristics		94	Pullets -
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2		Sheep and lambs -
With military service	41		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	87		

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.