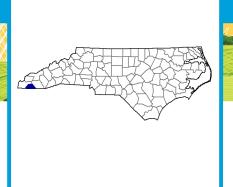


Clay County North Carolina



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

2017	% change since 2012
164	+6
12,525	+7
76	(Z)
(\$)	
2,929,000	-8
129,000	-39
199,000	(D)
3,202,000	(D)
55,000	-88
(\$)	
17,857	-13
5,594	+9
5,388	(D)
19,523	(D)
334	-89
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(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)
Crops	70
Livestock, poultry,	and products 30
Land in Farms	by Use (%) a
Cropland	38
Pastureland	23
Woodland	33
Other	6
Acres irrigated: 1	192
	2% of land in farms
Land Use Pract	cices (% of farms)
No till	7
Reduced till	1
Intensive till	4
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sale	S		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	65	40	1 to 9 acres	13	8
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	20	10 to 49 acres	80	49
\$5,000 to \$9,999	19	12	50 to 179 acres	55	34
\$10,000 to \$24,999	30	18	180 to 499 acres	15	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	10	6	500 to 999 acres	-	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	2	1,000 + acres	1	1
\$100,000 or more	4	2			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State ^b	ltem	U.S. b	Item
Total	2,929	96	100	2,925	3,077
Crops	2,045	94	100	2,670	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	634	82	99	2,213	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	62	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	52	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	909	54	100	773	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	213	48	98	989	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	20	87	98	1,582	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	-	-	38	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	269	83	98	2,541	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	884	88	100	2,849	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	708	61	100	2,475	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	49	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	83	95	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	25	55	95	2,106	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	52	54	92	1,777	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	48	54	375	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	16	97	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	227	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	171 56	Have internet access	65	Forage (hay/haylage), all Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Vegetables harvested, all	2,660 731 (D) 183
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	20 104 103	Farm organically	-	Squash, all	48
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	4 - -	Sell directly to consumers	14	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens	_
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	219 4	Hire farm labor	8	Cattle and calves Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	2,330 73 12 149
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	8 36 67	Are family farms	98	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	246 55 408 4

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.