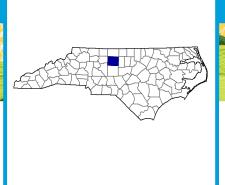


Guilford County North Carolina



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	854	-11
Land in farms (acres)	76,352	-16
Average size of farm (acres)	89	-5
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	52,186,000	-10
Government payments	331,000	-66
Farm-related income	3,131,000	-35
Total farm production expenses	47,509,000	-13
Net cash farm income	8,140,000	-10
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	61,108	+1
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	3,524	-48
Farm-related income	11,223	-22
Total farm production expenses	55,631	-2
Net cash farm income	9,531	+1

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales b	by Type (%)
Crops	63
Livestock, poultry, and products	
Land in Farms b	by Use (%) a
Cropland	54
Pastureland	18
Woodland	21
Other	8
Acres irrigated: 1,	,280
	2% of land in farms
Land Use Practi	ces (% of farms)
No till	16
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	10
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	375	44	1 to 9 acres	102	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999	88	10	10 to 49 acres	393	46
\$5,000 to \$9,999	153	18	50 to 179 acres	256	30
\$10,000 to \$24,999	101	12	180 to 499 acres	82	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	48	6	500 to 999 acres	16	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25	3	1,000 + acres	5	1
\$100,000 or more	64	7			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

Total	Sales (\$1,000) 52,186	Rank in State ^b 56	Counties Producing Item 100	Rank in U.S. ^b 1,720	Counties Producing Item 3,077
Total	52,100	36	100	1,720	3,077
Crops	32,829	39	100	1,365	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	5,937	56	99	1,576	2,916
Tobacco	12,943	22	62	37	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	52	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,459	45	100	639	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	14	98	445	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	9,859	12	98	246	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	19	38	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,489	39	98	1,519	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	19,357	58	100	1,667	3,073
Poultry and eggs	10,684	54	98	540	3,007
Cattle and calves	2,834	33	100	1,999	3,055
Milk from cows	4,242	11	49	658	1,892
Hogs and pigs	1,253	47	95	586	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	18	95	1,197	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	130	37	92	1,278	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	54	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	15	97	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,374	Percent of farms that	: Top Crops in Acres d
Sex Male Female	887 487	Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all 12,740 Soybeans for beans 9,806 Wheat for grain, all 4,544 Corn for grain 2,485
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	114 762 498	Farm organically	Tobacco 2,367
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American	- 4 30	Sell directly to consumers	Divestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens (D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	1,337 3	Hire farm labor 27	Cottle and calves
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	12 135 342	Are family farms	Layers 304,100

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.