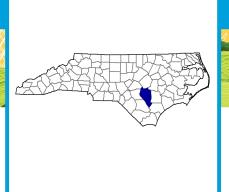


Sampson County North Carolina



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	960	-10
Land in farms (acres)	301,248	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	314	+15
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,249,140,000	-1
Government payments	2,424,000	-28
Farm-related income	10,192,000	+82
Total farm production expenses	901,673,000	-4
Net cash farm income	360,084,000	+10
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,301,187	+10
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	7,770	+32
Farm-related income	20,223	+87
Total farm production expenses	939,242	+7
Net cash farm income	375,087	+22

10 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%))
Crops	16
Livestock, poultry, and products	84
Land in Farms by Use (%)	a
Cropland	70
Pastureland	4
Woodland	19
Other	7
Acres irrigated: 17,886	
6% of I	and in farms
Land Use Practices (% of fa	arms)
No till	22
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	32
Cover crop	16

Farms by Value of Sal	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total a
Less than \$2,500	190	20	1 to 9 acres	69	7
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	4	10 to 49 acres	250	26
\$5,000 to \$9,999	81	8	50 to 179 acres	331	34
\$10,000 to \$24,999	94	10	180 to 499 acres	163	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	37	4	500 to 999 acres	79	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	43	4	1,000 + acres	68	7
\$100,000 or more	478	50			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in	Producing	in	Producing
	(\$1,000)	State ^b	Item	U.S. b	ltem
Total	1,249,140	2	100	20	3,077
Crops	203,510	1	100	123	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	49,084	4	99	773	2,916
Tobacco	41,455	4	62	4	323
Cotton and cottonseed	6,796	12	52	232	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	83,812	1	100	41	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	9,205	4	98	150	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	6,935	24	98	319	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation					
woody crops	-	-	38	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	6,225	9	98	405	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	1,045,630	2	100	13	3,073
Poultry and eggs	397,851	2	98	13	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	10	100	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	9	49	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	633,681	2	95	2	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	101	19	95	1,288	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	254	25	92	820	2,970
Aquaculture	278	23	54	194	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	6	97	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,506	Percent of farm	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	1,089 417	Have internet access	78	Soybeans for beans Corn for grain Vegetables harvested, all Forage (hay/haylage), all	67,379 36,268 22,453 18,410
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	112 889 505	Farm organically	2	Wheat for grain, all	14,056
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White	11 - 82 - 1,413	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	4 49	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31 Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats	5,969,281 21,430 939
More than one race Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	27 151 359	Are family farms	93	Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,884,585 820 313,787 318,338 216 4,594,777

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.