



Yadkin County North Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	818	-14
Land in farms (acres)	87,522	-13
Average size of farm (acres)	107	+1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	139,652,000	+12
Government payments	489,000	-47
Farm-related income	2,550,000	+6
Total farm production expenses	96,142,000	-8
Net cash farm income	46,548,000	+100
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	170,724	+30
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,370	+16
Farm-related income	9,585	+38
Total farm production expenses	117,534	+7
Net cash farm income	56,905	+132

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	20
Livestock, poultry, and products	80

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	55
Pastureland	20
Woodland	17
Other	7

Acres irrigated: 886

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	18
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	315	39
\$2,500 to \$4,999	106	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	122	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	95	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	53	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	24	3
\$100,000 or more	103	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	85	10
10 to 49 acres	368	45
50 to 179 acres	265	32
180 to 499 acres	70	9
500 to 999 acres	15	2
1,000 + acres	15	2

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	139,652	29	100	816	3,077
Crops	27,245	44	100	1,477	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	10,568	40	99	1,375	2,916
Tobacco	14,560	20	62	31	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	52	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	145	84	100	1,398	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	446	29	98	694	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	154	79	98	1,332	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	38	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	1,372	42	98	1,592	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	112,406	26	100	453	3,073
Poultry and eggs	96,206	19	98	156	3,007
Cattle and calves	4,962	20	100	1,693	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	4	49	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	40	95	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	47	39	95	1,781	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	139	33	92	1,225	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	54	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	45	25	97	1,032	2,878

Total Producers ^c	1,268	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d	
Sex				
Male	901	Have internet access	Soybeans for beans	16,343
Female	367		Forage (hay/haylage), all	14,861
Age			Corn for grain	7,907
<35	149	Farm organically	Tobacco	2,999
35 – 64	699		Wheat for grain, all	2,974
65 and older	420			
Race				
American Indian/Alaska Native	1	Sell directly to consumers		
Asian	-			
Black or African American	4	Hire farm labor	Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,654,782
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Cattle and calves	16,813
White	1,259		Goats	422
More than one race	4		Hogs and pigs	(D)
Other characteristics			Horses and ponies	758
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	9	Are family farms	Layers	1,694,328
With military service	144		Pullets	156,859
New and beginning farmers	347		Sheep and lambs	322
			Turkeys	(D)

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.