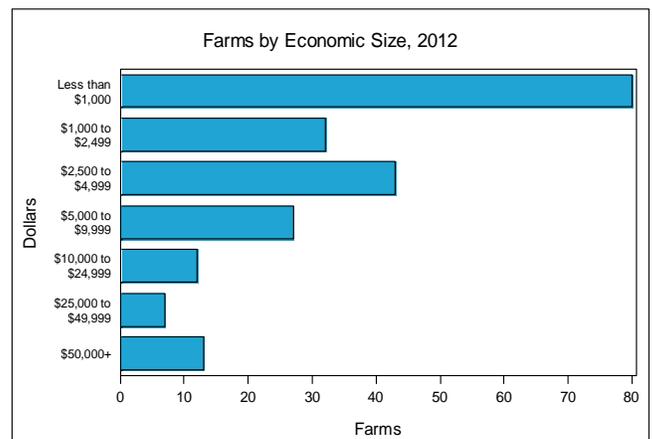
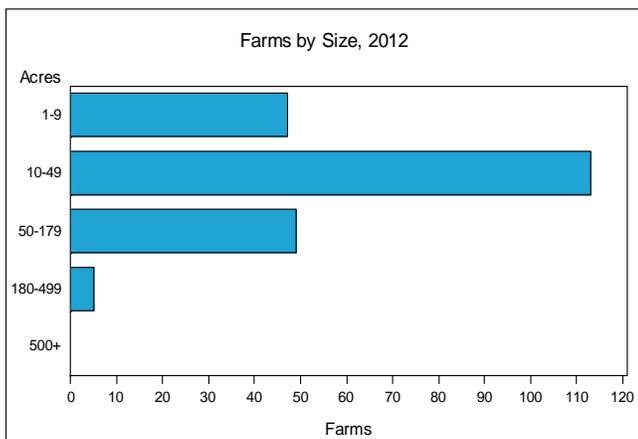


Buncombe County - North Carolina Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	214	1,060
Land in Farms	8,068 acres	71,480 acres
Average Size of Farm	38 acres	67 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$4,132,000	\$54,413,000
Crop Sales	\$1,100,000	\$39,258,000
Livestock Sales	\$3,032,000	\$15,155,000
Average Per Farm	\$19,308	\$51,333
Government Payments	\$40,000	\$1,481,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,476	\$8,049

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Farms with Women Principal Operators





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Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	214	4,132
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	68	1,100
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	115	3,032
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5	25
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	17	134
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	13	52
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	21	758
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	4	3
Other crops and hay	24	128
Poultry and eggs	28	31
Cattle and calves	55	2,245
Milk from cows	2	(D)
Hogs and pigs	4	2
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	26	185
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	24	(D)
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	21	17
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage, all	62	899
Corn for silage	6	202
Vegetables harvested, all	17	37
Cut Christmas trees	3	(D)
Beans, snap	9	13
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	78	1,850
Layers	42	1,359
Goats, all	39	1,001
Pullets for laying flock replacement	8	642
Horses and ponies	88	616

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	93
Other	121
Days worked off farm:	
None	76
Any	138
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	8
3 to 4 years	13
5 to 9 years	30
10 years or more	163
Age group:	
Under 35 years	10
35 to 44 years	15
45 to 64 years	116
65 years and over	73
Average age of principal operator (years)	59.8

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	81
\$1,000 to \$2,499	35
\$2,500 to \$4,999	40
\$5,000 to \$9,999	26
\$10,000 to \$49,999	19
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	9
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	5,344
Average per farm (\$)	24,970
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-1,016
Average per farm (\$)	-4,747
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	96
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	24
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	156

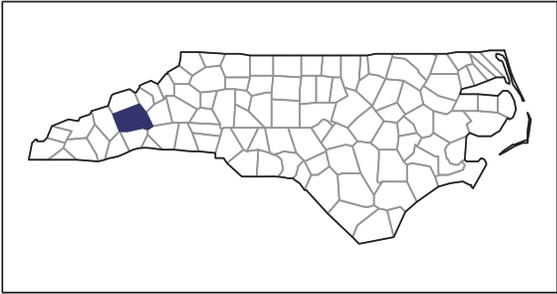
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Buncombe County - North Carolina Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms

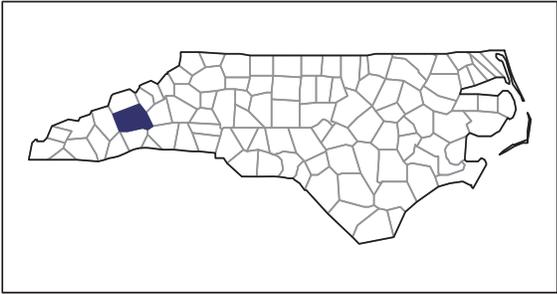


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Buncombe County - North Carolina Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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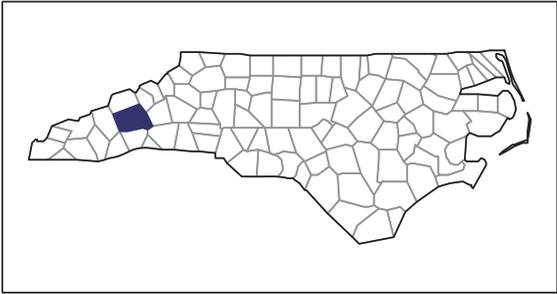
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Buncombe County - North Carolina Farms with Asian Operators Compared with All Farms

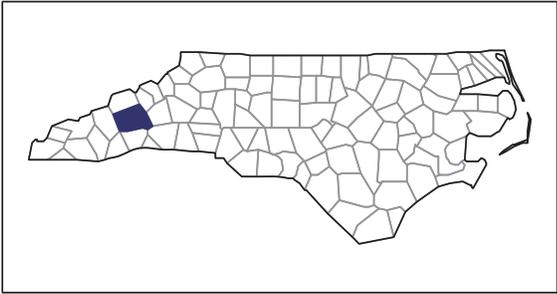


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Buncombe County - North Carolina Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms



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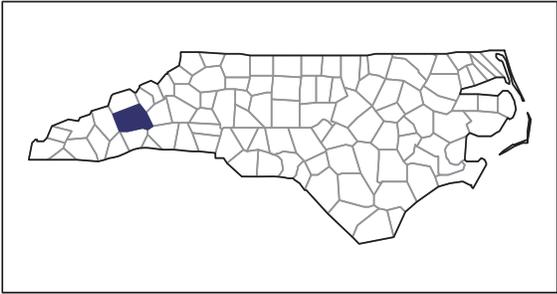
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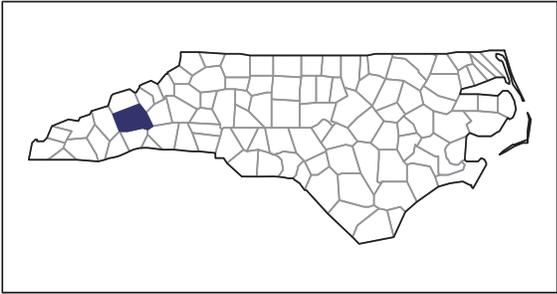


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Buncombe County - North Carolina Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms



Data are not available at this geographic level for farms with White Operators.

