



Pamlico County North Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	100	+25
Land in farms (acres)	43,262	-8
Average size of farm (acres)	433	-26
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	23,373,000	-35
Government payments	1,079,000	+22
Farm-related income	588,000	-44
Total farm production expenses	19,107,000	-21
Net cash farm income	5,933,000	-56
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	233,734	-48
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	16,853	-2
Farm-related income	15,468	-41
Total farm production expenses	191,069	-37
Net cash farm income	59,329	-65

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	98
Livestock, poultry, and products	2

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	86
Pastureland	2
Woodland	10
Other	1

Acres irrigated: 3,437

8% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	37
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	28
Cover crop	14

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	32	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	16	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	9
\$10,000 to \$24,999	10	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	3	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3	3
\$100,000 or more	27	27

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	16	16
10 to 49 acres	28	28
50 to 179 acres	23	23
180 to 499 acres	14	14
500 to 999 acres	7	7
1,000 + acres	12	12

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	23,373	79	100	2,290	3,077
Crops	22,973	51	100	1,566	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	18,244	25	99	1,185	2,916
Tobacco	(D)	51	62	(D)	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	52	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	46	71	98	1,551	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	59	98	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	38	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	42	94	98	2,723	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	400	98	100	2,925	3,073
Poultry and eggs	6	89	98	1,886	3,007
Cattle and calves	37	87	100	2,719	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	49	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	95	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	8	72	95	2,401	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	92	-	2,970
Aquaculture	338	19	54	180	1,251
Other animals and animal products	12	51	97	1,470	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	150
Male	109
Female	41
Age	
<35	19
35 – 64	82
65 and older	49
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	1
Black or African American	-
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	148
More than one race	1
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-
With military service	19
New and beginning farmers	48

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	86
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	8
Hire farm labor	25
Are family farms	89

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	18,107
Corn for grain	15,434
Wheat for grain, all	2,527
Vegetables harvested, all	(D)
Potatoes	(D)

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	48
Cattle and calves	137
Goats	70
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	33
Layers	360
Pullets	-
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	-

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.