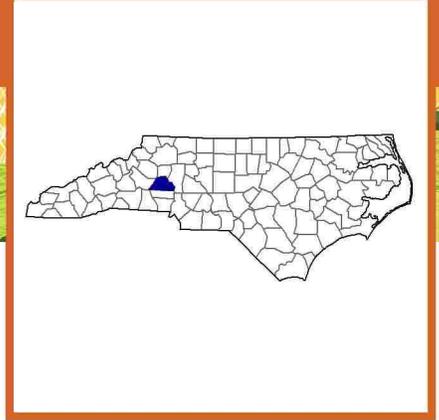


Catawba County, North Carolina Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

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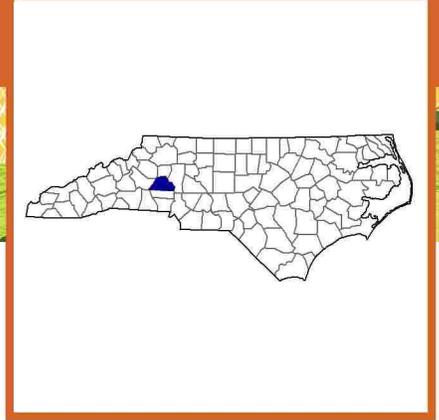
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Catawba County, North Carolina Farms with Asian Producers^a

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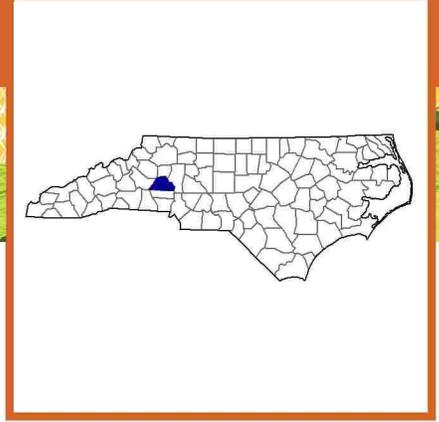
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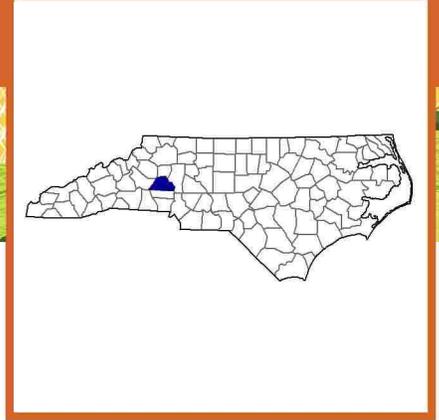
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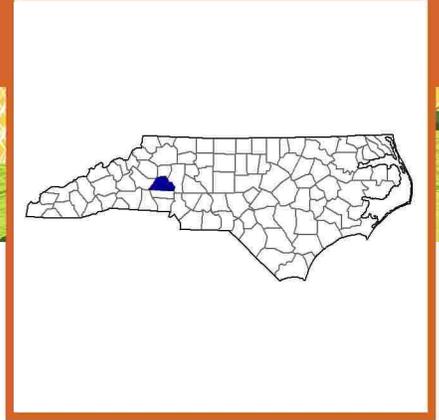
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Catawba County, North Carolina Farms with White Producers^a

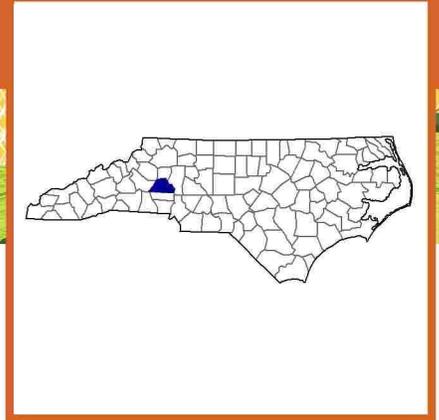
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Catawba County, North Carolina Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers.



Catawba County, North Carolina Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	310	638
Land in farms (acres)	25,946	63,530
Average size of farm (acres)	84	100
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	34,964,000	77,281,000
Government payments	280,000	620,000
Farm-related income	990,000	1,466,000
Total farm production expenses	24,686,000	53,600,000
Net cash farm income	11,549,000	25,767,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	112,788	121,130
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	13,345	11,486
Farm-related income	13,562	9,397
Total farm production expenses	79,632	84,012
Net cash farm income	37,253	40,388

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	39
Livestock, poultry, and products	61

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	53
Pastureland	23
Woodland	18
Other	6

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	13
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	144	46
\$2,500 to \$4,999	41	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	40	13
\$25,000 to \$49,999	13	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	4	1
\$100,000 or more	28	9
Total	310	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	60	19
10 to 49 acres	133	43
50 to 179 acres	85	27
180 to 499 acres	25	8
500 to 999 acres	4	1
1,000 + acres	3	1
Total	310	100

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	34,964	310
Crops	13,669	131
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	3,091	30
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	3,131	28
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	85	8
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	6,854	21
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	509	81
Livestock, poultry, and products	21,295	162
Poultry and eggs	18,519	43
Cattle and calves	802	96
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	21	8
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	37	25
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	1,867	22
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and animal products	50	12

Total Producers ^c

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Age	
<35	36
35 – 64	208
65 and older	83
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	18
Black/African American	6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	303
More than one race	-
Primary occupation	
Farming	112
Other	215
Days worked off farm	
None	125
1 to 199	88
200 +	114
Other characteristics	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	-
With military service	13
New and beginning farmers	140
<i>Average age (years)</i>	<i>55.0</i>

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	4,509
Forage (hay/haylage), all	4,406
Corn for grain	1,919
Vegetables harvested, all	794
Wheat for grain, all	661

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	85
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	6
Hire farm labor	25
Are family farms	97

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	530,928
Cattle and calves	3,617
Goats	333
Hogs and pigs	131
Horses and ponies	1,004
Layers	(D)
Pullets	343
Sheep and lambs	314
Turkeys	(D)

Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture

The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles.

See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/Video/Features/index.php).

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a This race alone or in combination with other races. ^b May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^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.