



## Bertie County North Carolina

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	288	-11
Land in farms (acres)	161,862	+9
Average size of farm (acres)	562	+23
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	416,906,000	+60
Government payments	3,465,000	-18
Farm-related income	4,045,000	+24
Total farm production expenses	268,157,000	+57
Net cash farm income	156,259,000	+61
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	1,447,589	+80
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	20,028	-4
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	39,659	+93
Total farm production expenses	931,101	+76
Net cash farm income	542,565	+81

**2** Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	28
Livestock, poultry, and products	72

#### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	120,788
Pastureland	548
Woodland	37,860
Other	2,666

**Acres irrigated: 8,557**

5% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	31
Reduced till	26
Intensive till	52
Cover crop	16

#### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	41	14
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	2
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	6
\$10,000 to \$24,999	16	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	17	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	7
\$100,000 or more	171	59

#### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	29	10
10 to 49 acres	42	15
50 to 179 acres	67	23
180 to 499 acres	58	20
500 to 999 acres	47	16
1,000+ acres	45	16

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>416,906</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>3,078</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>117,711</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>728</b>	<b>3,074</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	40,280	16	99	1,023	2,917
Tobacco	12,803	12	56	22	267
Cotton and cottonseed	40,670	2	52	31	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	5,045	23	100	411	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	10	85	95	1,885	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	57	84	97	1,559	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	36	-	1,274
Other crops and hay	18,845	1	97	180	3,035
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>299,195</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>3,076</b>
Poultry and eggs	(D)	13	100	70	3,027
Cattle and calves	91	83	99	2,694	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	48	-	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	18	95	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	95	-	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	69	87	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	53	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	9	66	96	1,748	2,909

<b>Producers <sup>d</sup></b>	<b>433</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		<b>Have internet access</b>	<b>73</b>
Male	336		Soybeans for beans 43,324
Female	97		Cotton, all 40,708
<b>Age</b>		<b>Farm organically</b>	<b>-</b>
<35	38		Corn for grain 13,663
35 – 64	238		Peanuts for nuts 10,479
65 and older	157		Wheat for grain, all 9,602
<b>Race</b>		<b>Sell directly to consumers</b>	<b>1</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	-		
Asian	-		<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>
Black or African American	70		Broilers and other meat-type chickens 8,577,849
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		Cattle and calves 239
White	362	<b>Hire farm labor</b>	<b>44</b>
More than one race	1		Goats 100
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>Are family farms</b>	<b>91</b>
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2		Hogs and pigs (D)
With military service	36		Horses and ponies 212
New and beginning farmers	127		Layers (D)
			Pullets -
			Sheep and lambs -
			Turkeys -

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>f</sup> 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.