



Lincoln County North Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	552	-10
Land in farms (acres)	49,038	-9
Average size of farm (acres)	89	+1
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	102,279,000	+90
Government payments	73,000	-86
Farm-related income	1,136,000	-6
Total farm production expenses	71,364,000	+74
Net cash farm income	32,124,000	+123
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	185,289	+112
Government payments ^a	4,277	-15
Farm-related income ^a	9,013	+1
Total farm production expenses	129,282	+93
Net cash farm income	58,195	+148

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	12
Livestock, poultry, and products	88

Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	24,909
Pastureland	13,499
Woodland	8,486
Other	2,144

Acres irrigated: 444

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	18
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
Less than \$2,500	225	41
\$2,500 to \$4,999	83	15
\$5,000 to \$9,999	83	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	60	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	40	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	8	1
\$100,000 or more	53	10

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^b
1 to 9 acres	41	7
10 to 49 acres	296	54
50 to 179 acres	153	28
180 to 499 acres	49	9
500 to 999 acres	6	1
1,000+ acres	7	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^c	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^c	Counties Producing Item
Total	102,279	45	100	1,382	3,078
Crops	12,050	79	100	2,107	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	7,475	57	99	1,650	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	56	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	51	52	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,176	51	100	793	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	422	49	95	945	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,620	54	97	792	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	19	36	(D)	1,274
Other crops and hay	1,154	55	97	1,933	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	90,229	35	100	727	3,076
Poultry and eggs	64,687	34	100	285	3,027
Cattle and calves	10,390	7	99	1,246	3,047
Milk from cows	14,761	3	48	399	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	69	95	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	127	19	95	1,286	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	164	26	87	1,251	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	53	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,909

Producers ^d	896	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^e
Sex		Have internet access	76
Male	617		
Female	279		
Age		Farm organically	-
<35	47		
35 – 64	484		
65 and older	365		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	6
American Indian/Alaska Native	3		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	-		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	889	Hire farm labor	14
More than one race	4		
Other characteristics		Are family farms	98
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	14		
With military service	91		
New and beginning farmers	255		
		Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)	
		Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,014,488
		Cattle and calves	14,398
		Goats	575
		Hogs and pigs	356
		Horses and ponies	779
		Layers	(D)
		Pullets	61
		Sheep and lambs	512
		Turkeys	36

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