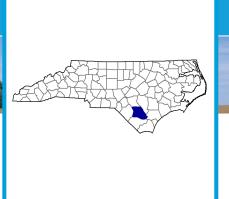
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Bladen County North Carolina



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	423	-17
Land in farms (acres)	146,195	-19
Average size of farm (acres)	346	-2
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	615,976,000	+38
Government payments	5,383,000	+69
Farm-related income	6,441,000	-26
Total farm production expenses	377,251,000	+33
Net cash farm income	250,550,000	+43
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	1,456,208	+67
Government payments ^a	49,843	+181
Farm-related income ^a	31,118	-10
Total farm production expenses	891,846	+61
Net cash farm income	592,316	+73

3 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)	
Crops	1-	
Livestock, poultry, and products		
Land in Farms	by Use (acres)	
Cropland	53,87	
Pastureland	4,03	
Woodland	64,42	
Other	23,85	
Acres irrigated:	7,597	
	5% of land in farm	
Land Use Prac	tices (% of farms)	
No till	1	
Reduced till	1	
Intensive till	2	
Cover crop	10	

Farms by Value of Sale	es		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total b		Number	Percent of Total b
Less than \$2,500	101	24	1 to 9 acres	38	9
\$2,500 to \$4,999	38	9	10 to 49 acres	111	26
\$5,000 to \$9,999	40	9	50 to 179 acres	148	35
\$10,000 to \$24,999	39	9	180 to 499 acres	71	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999	26	6	500 to 999 acres	28	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14	3	1,000+ acres	27	6
\$100,000 or more	165	39			

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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	615,976	5	100	126	3,078
Crops	86,454	21	100	942	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	23,450	32	99	1,238	2,917
Tobacco	(D)	41	56	122	267
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	47	52	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	1,701	44	100	691	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	51,697	1	95	77	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	4,857	32	97	482	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	_	_	36	_	1,274
Other crops and hay	3,460	21	97	955	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	529,522	4	100	70	3,076
Poultry and eggs	226,153	14	100	93	3,027
Cattle and calves	1,570	49	99	2,237	3,047
Milk from cows	(D)	29	48	(D)	1,770
Hogs and pigs	301,528	3	95	13	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	8	70	95	2,355	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	65	87	(D)	2,907
Aquaculture	-	-	53	-	1,190
Other animals and animal products	13	65	96	1,669	2,909

Producers d	758	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres e	
Sex Male Female	539 219	Have internet access	83	Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Land in berries Blueberries, all	18,477 11,599 6,384 6,275
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	35 425 298	Farm organically	1	Forage (hay/haylage), all	4,583
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White	8 - 77 - 666	Sell directly to consumers Hire farm labor	9	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves Goats	3,609,896 4,358 168
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	7 27 75 221	Are family farms	94	Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	688,866 155 (D) 107 (D) 396,541

^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.