

## Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers<sup>a</sup>

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## Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with Asian Producers<sup>a</sup>

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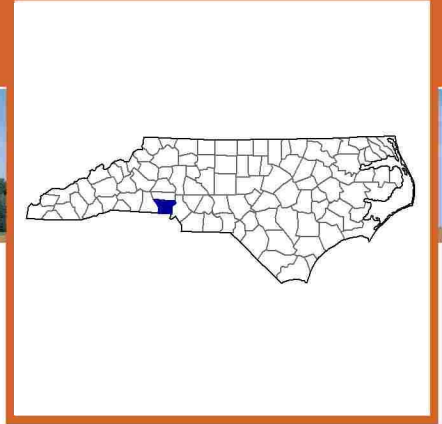


## Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with Black or African American Producers<sup>a</sup>

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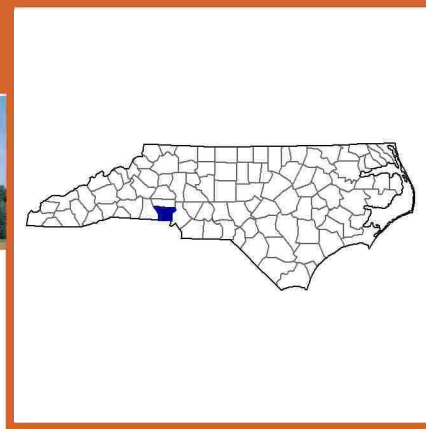
## Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers<sup>a</sup>

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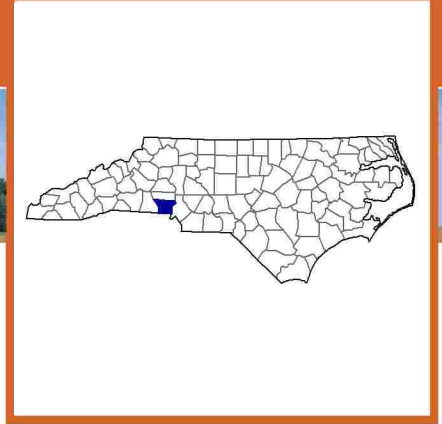


## Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with White Producers<sup>a</sup>

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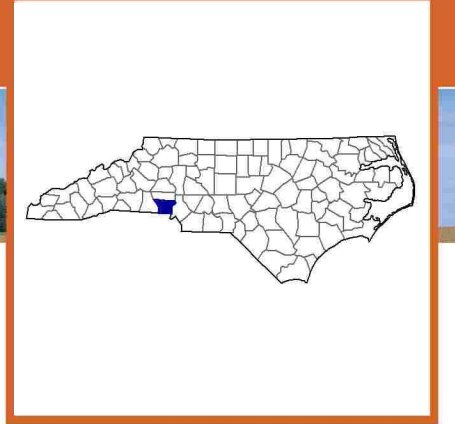




## **Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers**

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





## Gaston County, North Carolina Farms with Female Producers

### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	245	412
Land in farms (acres)	16,828	36,859
Average size of farm (acres)	69	89
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	18,843,000	26,940,000
Government payments	453,000	556,000
Farm-related income	1,022,000	1,488,000
Total farm production expenses	17,675,000	24,546,000
Net cash farm income	2,643,000	4,438,000
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	<b>(\$)</b>
Market value of products sold	76,910	65,388
Government payments <sup>c</sup>	30,202	24,166
Farm-related income <sup>c</sup>	17,031	16,904
Total farm production expenses	72,143	59,577
Net cash farm income	10,788	10,771

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	24
Livestock, poultry, and products	76

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>b</sup>

Cropland	40
Pastureland	17
Woodland	34
Other	10

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	8
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	7

### Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	110	45
\$2,500 to \$4,999	43	18
\$5,000 to \$9,999	36	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	22	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	12	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	3
\$100,000 or more	15	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>100</b>

### Farms by Size

	Number	Percent <sup>b</sup>
1 to 9 acres	31	13
10 to 49 acres	107	44
50 to 179 acres	88	36
180 to 499 acres	17	7
500 to 999 acres	1	(Z)
1,000 + acres	1	(Z)
<b>Total</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>100</b>

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers <sup>d</sup>	
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,843</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>267</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>4,486</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>Age</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	470	8	<35
Tobacco	-	-	35 – 64
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	65 and older
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	540	15	<b>Race</b>
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	2,283	19	American Indian/Alaska Native
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	938	17	Asian
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Black/African American
Other crops and hay	255	63	Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
			White
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>14,357</b>	<b>122</b>	More than one race
Poultry and eggs	8,666	48	<b>Primary occupation</b>
Cattle and calves	(D)	70	Farming
Milk from cows	(D)	1	Other
Hogs and pigs	13	8	<b>Days worked off farm</b>
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	49	20	None
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	45	8	1 to 199
Aquaculture	-	-	200 +
Other animals and animal products	16	12	<b>Other characteristics</b>
			Hispanic/Latino/Spanish
			With military service
			New and beginning farmers
			<i>Average age (years)</i>
			58.5
<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>e</sup></b>		<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Owned &amp; Rented Land in Farms</b>
Forage (hay/haylage), all	3,083	Have internet access	Owned land in farms
Corn for grain	(D)		farms 239
Corn for silage/greenchop	(D)	83	acres 14,770
Soybeans for beans	(D)	Farm organically	Rented or leased land
Barley for grain	(D)	-	in farms
			farms 37
			acres 2,058
<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022)</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Tenure</b>
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	290,788	16	Full Owners
Cattle and calves	3,922	Hire farm labor	farms 208
Goats	214	16	acres 12,249
Hogs and pigs	28	Are family farms	Part Owners
Horses and ponies	449	95	farms 31
Layers	1,413		acres 4,231
Pullets	149		Tenants
Sheep and lambs	191		farms 6
Turkeys	-		acres 348

See [2022 Census of Agriculture](#), U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> This race alone or in combination with other races. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Average per farm receiving. <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.