

NORTH CAROLINA - DISTRICT 9**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	295	864	333
Acreage	29,015	104,029	34,860
Average size (acres)	98	120	105
Median size (acres)	52	72	62
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	323,537	603,586	328,211
Machinery/equip (dollars)	25,116	66,666	26,265
Cropland (acres)			
Total	15,936	61,951	19,947
Harvested	9,053	29,483	10,660
Irrigated	197	440	266
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	9,947	43,002	33,687
(dollars avg. per farm)	29,872	145,769	38,990
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	1,679	32,604	5,497
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	8,118	22,710	10,052
Beef cows	2,984	12,164	3,157
Milk cows	761	2,489	1,568
Hogs and pigs	26	273	150
Sheep and lambs	24	528	91
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	D	0
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	5,573,960	1,405,000
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	322	1,526	763
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	582	3,737	1,688
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	0	2,875	0
Tobacco	0	0	0
Soybeans	1,187	7,904	1,585
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	0	7	0
Hay-alfalfa	5,060	13,646	6,798

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture