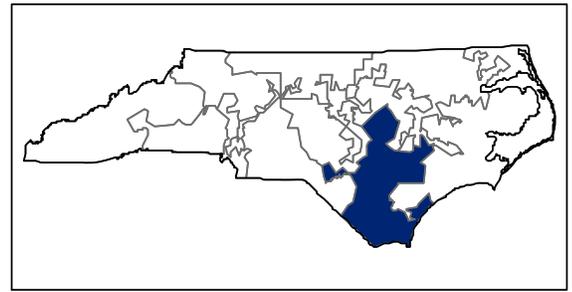


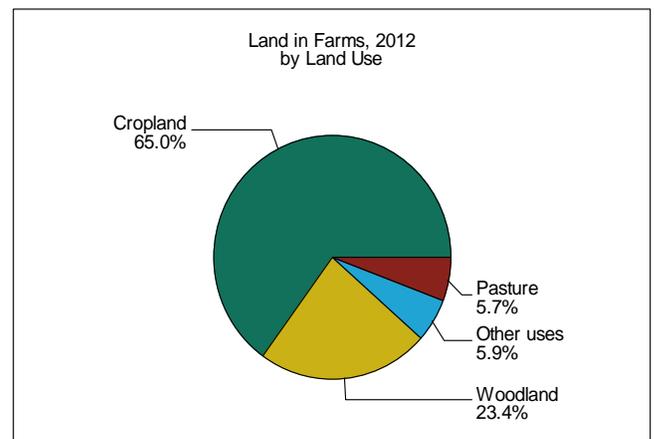
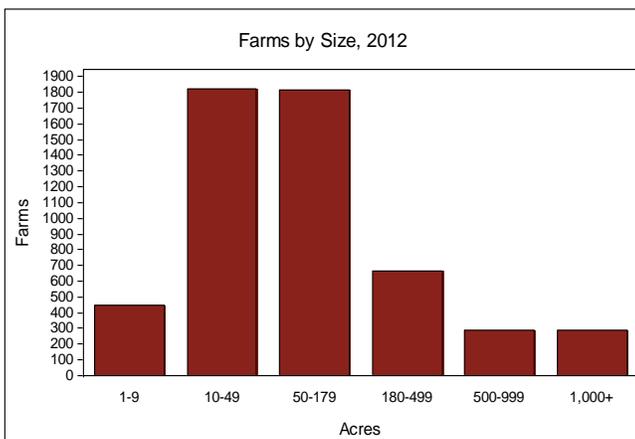
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



North Carolina 7th District

	2012
Number of Farm Operators	7,501
Number of Farms	5,330
Land in Farms	1,205,092 acres
Average Size of Farm	226 acres
Irrigated Land	46,178 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$3,720,633,000
Average Per Farm	\$698,055
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$25,929,000
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Government Payments	\$19,390,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,106



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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

North Carolina 7th District

Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	3,720,633	1	13	21	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	781,950	2	13	64	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	2,938,683	1	13	11	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	317,244	2	13	69	387
Tobacco	144,677	3	13	3	100
Cotton and cottonseed	47,890	3	12	27	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	157,252	1	13	24	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	1	13	58	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	40,392	5	13	89	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	4	13	(D)	332
Other crops and hay	36,311	2	13	94	398
Poultry and eggs	1,261,666	1	13	6	405
Cattle and calves	25,325	5	13	198	393
Milk from cows	(D)	8	12	229	310
Hogs and pigs	1,642,630	1	13	3	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	7	13	(D)	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	1,716	6	13	201	402
Aquaculture	659	4	13	179	336
Other animals and other animal products	781	3	13	207	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	281,454	2	13	53	276
Corn for grain	161,381	2	13	72	356
Wheat for grain, all	137,928	2	13	35	324
Winter wheat for grain	137,928	2	13	33	317
Cotton, all	69,333	3	12	25	108
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	22,802,067	2	13	19	365
Turkeys	10,414,280	1	13	2	356
Hogs and pigs	5,156,892	1	13	2	368
Layers	783,888	7	13	107	405
Pullets for laying flock replacement	561,718	3	13	56	361

Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	1,180	Farming	2,798
\$1,000 to \$2,499	378	Other	2,532
\$2,500 to \$4,999	443	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	501	Male	4,776
\$10,000 to \$19,999	374	Female	554
\$20,000 to \$24,999	97	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	267	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	101	American Indian or Alaska Native	171
\$50,000 to \$99,999	278	Asian	36
\$100,000 to \$249,999	280	Black or African American	441
\$250,000 to \$499,999	235	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	1,196	White	6,748
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	2,842,412	More than one race	13
Average per farm (\$)	533,286	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	100
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	923,539		
Average per farm (\$)	173,304		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.