

2002 Census of Agriculture County Profile

Hyde, North Carolina

Number of farms

144 farms in 2002, 110 farms in 1997, up 31 percent.

Land in farms

103,089 acres in 2002, 95,938 acres in 1997, up 7 percent.

Average size of farm

716 acres in 2002, 872 acres in 1997, down 18 percent.

Market Value of Production

\$32,868,000 in 2002, \$32,970,000 in 1997, down slightly.

Crop sales accounted for \$32,151,000 of the total value in 2002.

Livestock sales accounted for \$717,000 of the total value in 2002.

Market Value of Production, average per farm

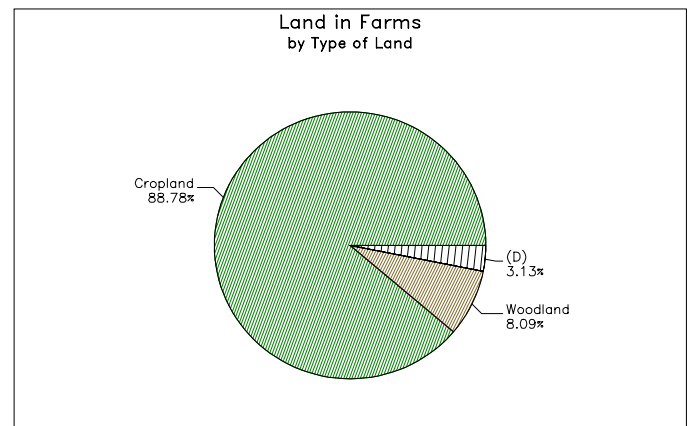
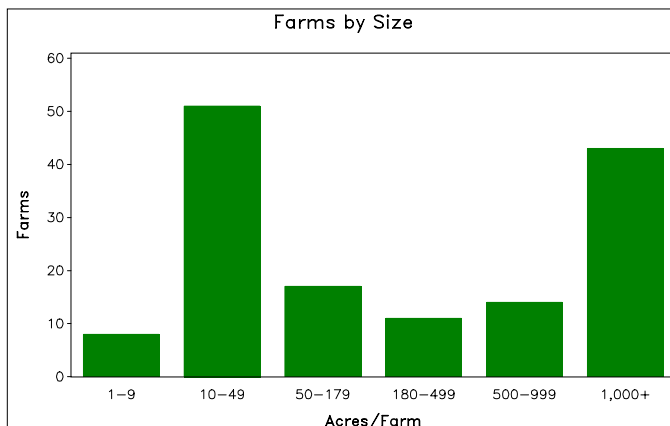
\$228,251 in 2002, \$299,731 in 1997, down 24 percent.

Government Payments

\$2,270,000 in 2002, \$811,000 in 1997, up 180 percent.

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments

\$19,400 in 2002, \$11,264 in 1997, up 72 percent.



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Ranked items among the 100 state counties and 3,078 U.S. counties, 2002

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	32,868	53	100	1,613	3,075
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	32,151	19	100	812	3,070
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	717	90	99	2,907	3,070
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	15,771	6	98	799	2,871
Tobacco	-	-	86	-	560
Cotton and cottonseed	9,240	5	55	105	656
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	2,747
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	2,638
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	2,708
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	68	-	1,774
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	100	(D)	3,046
Poultry and eggs	-	-	95	-	2,918
Cattle and calves	31	96	99	3,018	3,053
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	64	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	644	54	90	980	2,919
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	2,997
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	3,014
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	1,520
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	85	(D)	2,727
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	3,300	55	91	1,000	2,926
Cattle and calves	336	94	99	2,993	3,059
Colonies of bees	(D)	16	84	(D)	2,392
Horses and ponies	28	95	99	3,036	3,065
All Goats	(D)	98	99	(D)	2,971
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	31,059	4	100	647	2,592
Soybeans	30,013	15	85	722	2,076
All Cotton	22,906	19	55	155	663
All Wheat for grain	10,614	13	83	623	2,517
All Vegetables harvested	5,639	3	98	126	2,710

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	63	Farming	90
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5	Other	54
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	2	Male	139
\$20,000 to \$24,999	1	Female	5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	13	All operators ² by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	White	175
\$500,000 or more	29	Black or African American	24
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	30,282	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
Average per farm (\$)	208,840	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,876	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	40,525	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	-

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.