

Table 4. Net Cash Farm Income of the Operations and Operators: 2002

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Item	North Carolina	Alamance	Alexander	Alleghany	Anson	Ashe	Avery
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	1,557,074	6,643	13,812	5,654	33,010	10,222
Average per farm	dollars	28,869	7,861	20,863	10,915	61,017	9,014
Farms with net gains ¹	number	25,037	340	316	277	323	657
Average per farm	dollars	75,631	32,190	51,671	25,151	107,922	23,058
Farms with net losses	number	28,898	505	346	241	218	477
Average per farm	dollars	11,644	8,518	7,273	5,447	8,480	10,330
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	1,025,309	4,270	5,817	5,150	17,765	9,510
Average per farm	dollars	19,010	5,054	8,787	9,942	32,838	8,386
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	25,196	367	307	291	323	657
Average per farm	dollars	55,054	22,990	27,884	22,383	62,333	22,012
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	28,739	478	355	227	218	477
Average per farm	dollars	12,590	8,718	7,728	6,007	10,863	10,382

Item	Beaufort	Bertie	Bladen	Brunswick	Buncombe	Burke	Cabarrus
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	16,268	14,456	56,883	6,033	2,049	10,180
Average per farm	dollars	41,395	43,673	103,423	22,344	1,705	23,031
Farms with net gains ¹	number	265	161	286	108	455	188
Average per farm	dollars	73,638	120,971	212,840	74,550	17,805	64,960
Farms with net losses	number	128	170	264	162	747	254
Average per farm	dollars	25,358	29,533	15,111	12,461	8,101	8,003
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	14,097	4,146	40,596	5,319	2,297	10,403
Average per farm	dollars	35,870	12,526	73,811	19,701	1,911	23,535
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	261	158	286	109	468	191
Average per farm	dollars	69,642	62,876	154,508	68,334	17,598	61,636
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	132	173	264	161	734	251
Average per farm	dollars	30,909	33,458	13,609	13,224	8,092	5,458

Item	Caldwell	Camden	Carteret	Caswell	Catawba	Chatham	Cherokee
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	4,889	2,751	1,736	11,160	1,519	42,535
Average per farm	dollars	11,867	39,304	13,454	21,545	2,113	37,876
Farms with net gains ¹	number	164	48	57	246	280	541
Average per farm	dollars	39,770	72,572	52,856	49,703	24,999	87,472
Farms with net losses	number	248	22	72	272	439	582
Average per farm	dollars	6,586	33,280	17,739	3,921	12,483	8,226
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	4,768	2,196	1,758	11,035	507	10,517
Average per farm	dollars	11,573	31,366	13,628	21,304	705	9,365
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	169	48	57	271	300	546
Average per farm	dollars	37,837	65,262	52,731	44,294	19,603	34,807
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	243	22	72	247	419	577
Average per farm	dollars	6,693	42,589	17,328	3,921	12,827	14,709

Item	Chowan	Clay	Cleveland	Columbus	Craven	Cumberland	Currituck	Dare
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	6,872	226	7,431	24,548	12,192	8,157	2,552
Average per farm	dollars	40,189	1,354	6,611	29,612	44,175	16,995	30,379
Farms with net gains ¹	number	98	72	467	359	157	152	47
Average per farm	dollars	96,922	7,885	27,923	76,888	87,021	79,950	69,313
Farms with net losses	number	73	95	657	470	119	328	37
Average per farm	dollars	35,973	3,595	8,538	6,499	12,352	12,180	19,077
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	5,159	195	3,016	20,313	9,330	4,111	2,121
Average per farm	dollars	30,168	1,167	2,684	24,503	33,804	8,565	25,251
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	98	72	465	358	155	153	44
Average per farm	dollars	81,144	7,034	19,044	65,004	71,208	54,130	67,442
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	73	95	659	471	121	327	40
Average per farm	dollars	38,264	3,280	8,861	6,282	14,111	12,755	21,159

Item	Davidson	Davie	Duplin	Durham	Edgecombe	Forsyth	Franklin	Gaston
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	1,426	-1,943	123,736	1,755	15,112	2,221	2,910
Average per farm	dollars	1,258	-2,760	103,805	7,406	53,401	2,815	3,909
Farms with net gains ¹	number	384	211	830	103	153	221	206
Average per farm	dollars	15,561	15,615	158,685	28,889	131,956	27,122	45,501
Farms with net losses	number	750	493	362	134	130	568	368
Average per farm	dollars	6,065	10,624	22,024	9,107	39,053	6,642	19,374
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	-104	-2,701	69,052	1,821	12,924	2,140	100
Average per farm	dollars	-91	-3,836	57,929	7,682	45,668	2,713	174
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	403	207	814	107	153	228	206
Average per farm	dollars	11,494	13,036	95,283	28,245	117,908	25,950	37,279
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	731	497	378	130	130	561	368
Average per farm	dollars	6,478	10,864	22,508	9,243	39,353	6,731	20,597

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Item	Gates	Graham	Granville	Greene	Guilford	Halifax	Harnett	Haywood
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	7,288	-91	4,275	28,070	9,394	14,968	1,255
		57,843	-638	6,343	103,197	8,658	39,494	1,578
Farms with net gains ¹	number	80	53	360	188	511	250	302
Average per farm	dollars	111,289	14,711	17,530	159,254	30,894	76,121	15,248
Farms with net losses	number	46	89	314	84	574	129	493
Average per farm	dollars	35,106	9,779	6,483	22,264	11,138	31,487	6,796
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	4,243	-110	3,967	17,060	8,875	12,187	1,384
		33,678	-773	5,886	62,720	8,180	32,155	1,741
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	83	55	360	185	511	248	302
Average per farm	dollars	75,036	13,585	16,491	106,424	29,879	66,794	15,465
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	43	87	314	87	574	131	493
Average per farm	dollars	46,152	9,850	6,274	30,214	11,138	33,422	6,666

Item	Henderson	Hertford	Hoke	Hyde	Iredell	Jackson	Johnston	Jones
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	22,971	50,063	6,758	5,876	82,296	1,288	25,995
		43,921	370,839	33,622	40,525	64,094	5,133	22,663
Farms with net gains ¹	number	274	84	70	93	455	122	599
Average per farm	dollars	90,748	619,803	128,609	76,513	193,213	20,245	55,839
Farms with net losses	number	249	51	131	52	829	129	548
Average per farm	dollars	7,607	39,220	17,134	23,838	6,779	9,158	13,600
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	22,470	46,095	5,504	4,758	76,571	1,244	17,744
		42,964	341,442	27,381	32,811	59,635	4,957	15,470
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	274	82	70	88	486	122	594
Average per farm	dollars	88,527	589,052	107,359	69,804	170,025	19,872	43,295
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	249	53	131	57	798	129	553
Average per farm	dollars	7,173	41,655	15,354	24,300	7,596	9,149	14,419

Item	Lee	Lenoir	Lincoln	McDowell	Macon	Madison	Martin	Mecklenburg
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	5,540	26,392	2,520	8,458	1,488	-1,245	344
		18,105	61,808	4,071	30,868	4,275	-1,269	1,121
Farms with net gains ¹	number	137	267	203	113	159	459	117
Average per farm	dollars	49,974	114,818	21,727	82,679	15,185	8,498	82,355
Farms with net losses	number	169	160	416	161	189	522	190
Average per farm	dollars	7,729	26,652	4,545	5,496	4,903	9,858	48,902
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	3,261	16,120	1,823	8,638	1,549	-511	-3,259
		10,657	37,752	2,945	31,524	4,451	-521	-10,617
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	146	261	201	119	170	491	118
Average per farm	dollars	32,576	83,147	18,914	78,259	14,472	8,233	58,532
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	160	166	418	155	178	490	189
Average per farm	dollars	9,344	33,622	4,735	4,356	5,120	9,292	53,789

Item	Mitchell	Montgomery	Moore	Nash	New Hanover	Northampton	Onslow	Orange
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	1,618	24,171	18,313	24,117	-83	8,551	20,800
		4,520	82,777	22,333	50,667	-1,039	25,678	51,231
Farms with net gains ¹	number	182	161	363	297	34	142	196
Average per farm	dollars	14,708	155,647	65,504	94,813	12,842	100,749	119,154
Farms with net losses	number	176	131	457	179	46	191	210
Average per farm	dollars	6,016	6,782	11,958	22,582	11,299	30,134	12,165
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	1,639	15,394	6,421	17,575	-75	4,217	12,642
		4,579	52,720	7,831	36,921	-936	12,664	31,137
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	182	168	363	295	34	130	197
Average per farm	dollars	14,867	97,705	32,274	74,637	12,842	81,063	77,904
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	176	124	457	181	46	203	209
Average per farm	dollars	6,060	8,227	11,585	24,548	11,120	31,138	12,945

Item	Pamlico	Pasquotank	Pender	Perquimans	Person	Pitt	Polk	Randolph
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	(D)	5,363	25,095	6,503	2,443	21,574	1,497
		(D)	33,946	83,930	33,872	6,533	48,264	5,650
Farms with net gains ¹	number	44	98	130	134	131	284	95
Average per farm	dollars	115,128	66,693	218,909	62,069	46,631	90,693	29,138
Farms with net losses	number	24	60	169	58	243	163	170
Average per farm	dollars	(D)	19,540	19,900	31,273	15,085	25,661	7,476
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000							
Average per farm	dollars	(D)	4,252	15,316	3,454	2,745	14,235	1,495
		(D)	26,914	51,226	17,989	7,339	31,846	5,643
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	44	98	132	130	129	282	95
Average per farm	dollars	111,384	57,535	144,141	41,650	49,531	69,768	29,138
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	24	60	167	62	245	165	170
Average per farm	dollars	(D)	23,101	22,217	31,623	14,876	32,965	7,487

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Item	Richmond	Robeson	Rockingham	Rowan	Rutherford	Sampson	Scotland	Stanly	
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	16,009	31,433	9,596	8,403	-5,016	127,980	11,280	8,307
Average per farm	dollars	61,339	35,882	11,004	8,911	-7,669	107,818	69,631	11,603
Farms with net gains ¹	number	161	376	385	351	200	712	81	232
Average per farm	dollars	109,873	107,035	31,426	34,645	17,614	196,247	162,310	66,913
Farms with net losses	number	100	500	487	592	454	475	81	484
Average per farm	dollars	16,800	17,625	5,141	6,347	18,807	24,732	23,048	14,910
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	6,292	21,162	9,123	7,295	-5,873	84,066	8,189	-1,742
Average per farm	dollars	24,107	24,157	10,462	7,736	-8,980	70,823	50,550	-2,434
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	160	376	395	364	229	723	80	232
Average per farm	dollars	51,077	80,335	29,260	30,309	11,366	133,075	125,649	24,174
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	101	500	477	579	425	464	82	484
Average per farm	dollars	18,616	18,089	5,104	6,455	19,943	26,178	22,718	15,187

Item	Stokes	Surry	Swain	Transylvania	Tyrrell	Union	Vance	Wake	
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	4,948	20,568	128	5,616	3,507	74,418	2,786	15,757
Average per farm	dollars	5,390	16,195	1,518	21,851	38,122	62,641	12,220	18,494
Farms with net gains ¹	number	372	479	38	115	44	704	106	347
Average per farm	dollars	24,579	55,731	16,225	60,856	115,869	116,652	36,052	67,313
Farms with net losses	number	546	791	46	142	48	484	122	505
Average per farm	dollars	7,685	7,746	10,631	9,738	33,146	15,921	8,487	15,051
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	4,708	11,442	124	5,638	3,444	32,656	2,308	14,964
Average per farm	dollars	5,129	9,009	1,477	21,939	37,433	27,488	10,123	17,563
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	383	471	40	115	45	685	108	347
Average per farm	dollars	23,467	39,632	15,020	61,123	112,289	62,787	31,295	65,287
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	535	799	44	142	47	503	120	505
Average per farm	dollars	7,999	9,042	10,836	9,794	34,239	20,582	8,933	15,229

Item	Warren	Washington	Watauga	Wayne	Wilkes	Wilson	Yadkin	Yancey	
Net cash farm income of operations (see text)	\$1,000	4,824	8,116	1,629	78,559	56,556	28,542	15,485	2,900
Average per farm	dollars	16,135	41,834	2,214	108,959	44,357	91,188	14,747	4,692
Farms with net gains ¹	number	135	120	455	459	644	157	413	412
Average per farm	dollars	45,079	79,790	7,760	181,616	99,517	197,826	46,229	13,026
Farms with net losses	number	164	74	281	262	631	156	637	206
Average per farm	dollars	7,690	19,718	6,767	18,330	11,939	16,134	5,664	11,975
Net cash farm income of operators (see text)	\$1,000	4,475	5,741	1,876	52,574	18,393	27,477	9,553	2,934
Average per farm	dollars	14,965	29,595	2,549	72,918	14,426	87,786	9,099	4,748
Farm operators reporting net gains	farms	135	119	447	428	608	154	415	412
Average per farm	dollars	43,223	61,000	8,299	139,387	43,968	196,274	33,741	13,133
Farm operators reporting net losses	farms	164	75	289	293	667	159	635	206
Average per farm	dollars	8,296	20,235	6,345	24,176	12,503	17,290	7,006	12,022

¹ Farms with total production expenses equal to total of market value of agricultural products sold, government payments, and farm-related income are included as farms with gains.