

Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item		North Carolina	Alamance	Alexander	Alleghany	Anson	Ashe	Avery
Total farm production expenses ¹	farms, 2007	52,913	753	627	519	487	1,125	477
	2002	53,935	845	662	518	541	1,134	495
	\$1,000, 2007	8,309,765	40,124	85,954	29,489	120,220	35,539	17,859
Average per farm	2002	5,645,471	25,178	44,556	14,866	78,549	28,121	15,499
	dollars, 2007	157,046	53,285	137,087	56,819	246,859	31,590	37,440
	2002	104,672	29,796	67,304	28,700	145,192	24,798	31,312
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms, 2007	33,805	505	318	387	164	814	418
	2002	36,121	602	431	396	207	823	444
	\$1,000, 2007	376,476	2,350	1,260	2,327	1,430	2,684	1,576
Chemicals purchased	2002	238,389	1,255	792	779	1,182	1,425	762
	farms, 2007	25,209	307	252	248	178	561	364
	2002	26,680	320	270	288	193	543	382
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees	\$1,000, 2007	228,484	873	569	1,071	639	908	960
	2002	220,109	460	204	367	788	837	625
	farms, 2007	20,277	269	137	159	109	293	187
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	2002	23,959	311	249	236	92	466	292
	\$1,000, 2007	249,975	946	395	914	901	1,752	1,619
	2002	160,111	531	120	454	469	1,464	3,085
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²	farms, 2007	12,342	202	261	128	141	219	38
	2002	11,972	159	195	69	203	320	1
	\$1,000, 2007	1,666,076	8,976	20,607	3,325	26,348	2,877	88
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	2002	1,049,514	2,228	6,005	1,207	18,064	1,110	(D)
	farms, 2007	5,004	102	92	44	42	86	16
	2002	5,119	72	77	60	57	159	-
Feed purchased	\$1,000, 2007	131,277	3,319	3,913	659	2,800	2,005	17
	2002	57,036	147	301	272	558	254	-
	farms, 2007	8,677	126	188	100	108	160	27
Gasoline, fuels, and oils	2002	7,997	101	176	25	169	213	1
	\$1,000, 2007	1,534,800	5,657	16,694	2,666	23,547	2,672	71
	2002	992,478	2,081	5,704	934	17,506	857	(D)
Utilities (see text)	farms, 2007	28,263	461	450	282	237	573	106
	2002	30,938	575	509	251	331	599	106
	\$1,000, 2007	3,183,993	12,416	43,073	4,287	65,895	2,085	174
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance	2002	1,917,997	8,255	23,541	3,687	38,320	990	119
	farms, 2007	51,860	745	626	511	461	1,108	462
	2002	51,753	845	649	477	515	1,099	495
Contract labor	\$1,000, 2007	332,524	2,039	2,315	1,784	2,590	2,010	1,407
	2002	170,533	1,210	1,295	803	1,301	1,095	568
	farms, 2007	24,777	361	326	235	212	394	166
Customwork and custom hauling	2002	28,141	367	384	187	272	533	197
	\$1,000, 2007	137,087	829	1,418	635	1,878	555	389
	2002	118,921	773	1,176	352	1,877	603	340
Hired farm labor	farms, 2007	48,659	695	592	477	431	1,031	440
	2002	48,838	808	531	400	438	1,017	449
	\$1,000, 2007	338,501	2,867	2,517	2,261	3,221	2,463	1,456
Contract labor	2002	319,142	3,311	2,506	1,382	3,139	2,797	1,587
	farms, 2007	12,284	133	104	152	76	264	161
	2002	16,091	141	124	209	170	273	243
Contract labor	\$1,000, 2007	623,130	2,016	1,554	5,888	3,518	8,383	5,293
	2002	552,486	2,969	2,330	1,940	6,134	7,639	3,283
	farms, 2007	4,683	39	47	68	41	133	117
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees	2002	5,599	30	52	87	114	137	148
	\$1,000, 2007	115,346	370	487	1,680	270	1,988	2,271
	2002	65,193	315	281	737	871	1,271	1,938
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles	farms, 2007	5,323	62	63	41	38	90	31
	2002	6,937	55	90	19	48	111	45
	\$1,000, 2007	44,513	286	139	138	159	222	133
Interest expense	2002	42,331	81	224	(D)	513	56	255
	farms, 2007	11,718	168	130	122	70	310	73
	2002	11,885	194	179	80	58	165	132
Secured by real estate	\$1,000, 2007	196,528	649	594	1,301	1,482	2,439	656
	2002	209,033	600	300	670	560	1,843	593
	farms, 2007	1,898	24	12	12	3	29	10
Not secured by real estate	2002	2,921	59	23	14	32	10	4
	\$1,000, 2007	17,262	22	78	30	3	96	48
	2002	25,402	27	24	(D)	120	72	(D)
Property taxes paid	farms, 2007	12,480	177	182	143	120	234	76
	2002	14,250	118	272	113	139	203	56
	\$1,000, 2007	176,525	1,604	2,149	1,478	1,726	3,739	731
All other production expenses (see text)	2002	164,828	922	2,035	577	1,773	1,458	377
	farms, 2007	9,754	143	159	117	102	173	56
	2002	10,803	98	255	93	122	111	39
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹	\$1,000, 2007	130,361	1,324	1,919	938	1,455	2,188	503
	2002	124,251	781	1,851	430	1,636	944	104
	farms, 2007	7,164	90	83	77	59	138	43
Property taxes paid	2002	6,259	23	83	73	34	119	40
	\$1,000, 2007	46,163	280	230	540	271	1,552	228
	2002	40,577	141	184	147	136	514	273
All other production expenses (see text)	farms, 2007	48,424	681	587	488	462	1,028	435
	2002	50,423	758	624	475	493	1,082	446
	\$1,000, 2007	127,148	1,381	1,008	960	1,322	1,425	464
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹	2002	109,636	892	697	681	1,208	3,464	637
	farms, 2007	24,253	368	329	256	213	494	154
	2002	26,766	422	378	229	275	466	214
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹	\$1,000, 2007	496,197	2,499	7,790	1,409	8,840	1,911	574
	2002	281,848	1,350	3,024	985	2,232	1,997	1,312
	farms, 2007	20,422	334	250	226	188	431	196
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹	2002	17,713	203	229	159	196	315	133
	\$1,000, 2007	400,776	3,483	3,224	2,786	4,335	4,168	2,828
	2002	326,025	1,499	2,888	2,152	2,523	2,385	1,157

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Item	Beaufort	Bertie	Bladen	Brunswick	Buncombe	Burke	Cabarrus
Total farm production expenses ¹							
.....farms, 2007	369	279	500	264	1,077	481	611
.....2002	393	331	550	270	1,202	442	657
.....\$1,000, 2007	77,341	115,522	269,141	37,797	26,576	29,713	45,219
.....2002	61,954	73,923	201,222	30,020	23,971	25,192	23,830
Average per farm							
.....dollars, 2007	209,597	414,058	538,282	143,171	24,676	61,774	74,008
.....2002	157,644	223,333	365,858	111,186	19,943	56,996	36,271
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased							
.....farms, 2007	229	187	320	186	674	345	385
.....2002	261	235	421	188	864	282	424
.....\$1,000, 2007	10,462	5,985	5,287	2,375	1,407	1,023	2,241
.....2002	6,535	4,842	3,515	1,748	1,335	739	1,504
Chemicals purchased							
.....farms, 2007	204	196	309	166	420	218	239
.....2002	315	258	342	171	598	161	243
.....\$1,000, 2007	6,592	5,289	3,570	1,152	810	446	666
.....2002	6,455	6,812	5,328	1,520	346	853	338
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees							
.....farms, 2007	186	170	247	131	313	176	212
.....2002	261	225	335	125	444	186	261
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,333	4,127	4,166	1,885	1,271	3,661	1,253
.....2002	4,352	2,636	2,302	621	(D)	3,400	485
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)							
.....farms, 2007	24	74	137	43	212	97	117
.....2002	23	79	123	48	228	71	198
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,376	8,866	87,837	9,437	603	6,160	10,324
.....2002	2,323	6,202	59,707	7,477	2,077	870	2,487
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²							
.....farms, 2007	14	12	40	22	122	49	69
.....2002	20	11	29	29	156	33	68
.....\$1,000, 2007	746	277	7,332	492	368	245	357
.....2002	980	235	4,705	219	967	73	106
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)							
.....farms, 2007	12	70	112	26	120	68	65
.....2002	4	69	103	21	149	41	143
.....\$1,000, 2007	4,630	8,589	80,505	8,944	235	5,915	9,966
.....2002	1,343	5,967	55,002	7,258	1,110	797	2,381
Feed purchased							
.....farms, 2007	84	92	236	112	687	273	392
.....2002	94	114	229	129	769	224	515
.....\$1,000, 2007	12,501	54,112	117,398	7,233	3,586	4,350	16,789
.....2002	7,317	25,957	81,091	5,508	5,028	4,063	7,739
Gasoline, fuels, and oils							
.....farms, 2007	351	277	488	252	1,051	476	589
.....2002	382	331	530	260	1,090	416	657
.....\$1,000, 2007	4,787	4,538	5,363	1,775	1,512	1,349	1,663
.....2002	2,376	2,461	3,191	1,033	857	822	950
Utilities (see text)							
.....farms, 2007	185	173	280	139	417	196	255
.....2002	277	247	273	166	440	228	379
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,975	1,820	3,173	775	1,598	821	797
.....2002	1,910	1,575	3,376	616	681	627	637
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance							
.....farms, 2007	330	264	466	232	993	433	559
.....2002	352	320	483	253	1,122	396	609
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,161	4,621	5,181	4,108	2,624	2,154	2,145
.....2002	4,479	4,850	5,970	1,283	2,384	2,406	2,304
Hired farm labor							
.....farms, 2007	105	123	154	53	181	65	75
.....2002	171	135	187	109	344	71	58
.....\$1,000, 2007	6,884	6,892	14,449	3,549	5,555	4,881	2,742
.....2002	9,338	6,577	17,369	4,489	(D)	6,323	3,071
Contract labor							
.....farms, 2007	48	35	72	20	84	29	37
.....2002	62	43	104	39	160	35	11
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,520	770	4,182	664	815	600	161
.....2002	688	542	1,948	401	333	301	71
Customwork and custom hauling							
.....farms, 2007	63	54	49	18	57	33	42
.....2002	73	24	93	34	87	43	12
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,105	(D)	308	(D)	363	75	72
.....2002	1,156	453	320	269	91	822	157
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees							
.....farms, 2007	121	134	132	46	166	85	98
.....2002	207	156	169	69	132	93	65
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,656	3,889	2,664	678	493	783	817
.....2002	5,045	5,563	2,777	1,782	861	403	247
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles							
.....farms, 2007	23	7	21	21	33	23	17
.....2002	30	39	33	11	47	29	10
.....\$1,000, 2007	460	(D)	751	(D)	75	180	26
.....2002	209	515	412	245	37	251	17
Interest expense							
.....farms, 2007	114	105	123	58	175	107	108
.....2002	147	152	128	89	212	129	244
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,065	1,899	2,058	854	2,068	884	1,152
.....2002	3,083	1,679	3,169	1,123	1,486	961	1,524
Secured by real estate							
.....farms, 2007	82	70	88	44	131	77	75
.....2002	100	114	103	69	200	72	216
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,255	1,087	1,518	544	1,798	554	792
.....2002	2,446	1,087	2,833	876	1,462	679	1,440
Not secured by real estate							
.....farms, 2007	91	68	77	36	112	61	72
.....2002	92	78	60	35	26	76	32
.....\$1,000, 2007	810	812	541	311	270	330	360
.....2002	636	592	336	246	24	282	84
Property taxes paid							
.....farms, 2007	339	259	471	244	993	457	541
.....2002	351	319	520	255	1,137	398	560
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,137	2,552	2,127	892	2,003	677	1,262
.....2002	1,221	867	1,996	526	2,026	598	1,021
All other production expenses (see text)							
.....farms, 2007	179	177	238	118	389	216	254
.....2002	222	216	348	112	548	243	359
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,326	9,359	10,626	1,543	1,791	1,672	3,110
.....2002	5,466	2,393	8,753	1,379	(D)	1,753	1,277
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹							
.....farms, 2007	165	130	218	88	375	163	185
.....2002	138	158	196	82	264	170	102
.....\$1,000, 2007	6,403	5,015	6,636	1,546	4,125	2,693	2,213
.....2002	5,092	5,601	7,322	1,123	2,026	1,934	1,188

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Item		Caldwell	Camden	Carteret	Caswell	Catawba	Chatham	Cherokee
Total farm production expenses ¹	farms, 2007	459	76	159	562	737	1,089	288
	2002	412	70	129	518	719	1,123	264
	\$1,000, 2007	16,393	24,820	14,535	22,060	29,921	139,066	16,838
Average per farm	2002	10,436	18,319	14,224	20,437	19,386	78,445	10,646
	dollars, 2007	35,714	326,585	91,414	39,252	40,599	127,701	58,467
	2002	25,330	261,704	110,267	39,454	26,962	69,853	40,325
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased	farms, 2007	279	60	80	383	464	588	169
	2002	309	57	89	385	373	561	127
	\$1,000, 2007	682	4,378	1,884	1,677	2,244	1,904	410
Chemicals purchased	2002	615	2,369	2,020	1,504	1,080	1,218	153
	farms, 2007	172	51	57	238	271	447	116
	2002	145	55	79	259	258	454	93
\$1,000, 2007	2007	261	2,112	1,461	573	583	835	126
	2002	282	2,229	1,646	563	339	639	26
	farms, 2007	125	53	58	248	237	289	77
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees	2002	168	56	74	305	183	312	106
	\$1,000, 2007	1,420	3,295	1,929	640	1,765	684	(D)
	2002	1,034	2,477	1,371	268	844	497	37
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	farms, 2007	79	7	18	87	165	334	46
	2002	81	4	19	73	97	439	65
	\$1,000, 2007	1,036	25	39	3,364	1,578	45,278	603
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²	2002	495	5	(D)	3,972	1,301	11,621	1,439
	farms, 2007	28	7	7	26	76	168	18
	2002	66	3	4	69	85	166	29
\$1,000, 2007	2007	488	25	14	313	250	2,324	119
	2002	289	(D)	(D)	(D)	339	361	(D)
	farms, 2007	61	-	12	76	112	215	34
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)	2002	17	1	18	7	42	324	41
	\$1,000, 2007	548	-	25	3,051	1,328	42,955	484
	2002	205	(D)	(D)	(D)	962	11,260	(D)
Feed purchased	farms, 2007	295	29	58	240	482	793	172
	2002	189	26	49	284	439	848	190
	\$1,000, 2007	3,792	93	252	3,624	8,405	54,038	(D)
2002	1,878	301	(D)	1,580	4,263	43,088	(D)	
	farms, 2007	452	75	149	559	734	1,069	285
	2002	361	67	126	518	715	1,055	253
\$1,000, 2007	2007	1,072	1,512	971	2,115	1,558	4,280	772
	2002	455	743	690	1,678	1,678	2,239	197
	farms, 2007	171	36	107	264	324	506	85
Utilities (see text)	2002	128	47	76	317	220	579	103
	\$1,000, 2007	334	187	298	638	670	2,781	411
	2002	256	412	213	606	628	1,891	262
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance	farms, 2007	428	66	131	519	691	1,012	265
	2002	348	65	122	497	604	1,035	206
	\$1,000, 2007	1,188	1,854	779	2,412	2,203	4,985	895
2002	1,311	1,150	1,344	2,064	2,653	4,467	1,946	
	farms, 2007	78	25	44	144	111	220	64
	2002	69	34	40	244	88	306	66
\$1,000, 2007	2007	3,191	3,209	2,116	2,010	4,499	7,063	2,269
	2002	1,781	2,899	1,959	3,236	2,663	5,364	1,347
	farms, 2007	35	6	15	44	47	72	16
Contract labor	2002	41	10	19	19	34	61	10
	\$1,000, 2007	485	265	84	434	538	380	46
	2002	88	428	71	102	228	220	(D)
Customwork and custom hauling	farms, 2007	24	12	10	44	54	92	39
	2002	49	19	16	75	28	98	17
	\$1,000, 2007	95	(D)	(D)	192	290	423	83
2002	(D)	174	(D)	110	169	154	200	
	farms, 2007	65	46	55	94	170	196	38
	2002	111	44	32	114	121	111	49
\$1,000, 2007	2007	427	2,911	(D)	315	622	1,427	71
	2002	224	2,250	492	929	279	623	31
	farms, 2007	14	6	4	25	10	21	10
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles	2002	2	7	-	58	12	7	12
	\$1,000, 2007	67	(D)	11	79	40	115	16
	2002	(D)	171	-	60	63	49	41
Interest expense	farms, 2007	91	34	29	158	131	253	37
	2002	72	41	30	167	139	232	58
	\$1,000, 2007	583	1,319	233	1,403	1,494	3,054	370
2002	471	924	(D)	1,128	993	2,258	488	
	farms, 2007	83	23	20	140	108	198	32
	2002	64	22	28	100	89	190	58
\$1,000, 2007	2007	466	877	72	1,125	1,315	2,480	343
	2002	275	599	(D)	839	898	2,115	380
	farms, 2007	50	20	22	78	63	141	17
Not secured by real estate	2002	31	23	6	126	57	61	8
	\$1,000, 2007	118	442	161	278	179	574	27
	2002	196	325	(D)	289	95	143	108
Property taxes paid	farms, 2007	422	67	117	530	659	1,003	267
	2002	357	65	120	489	607	1,080	247
	\$1,000, 2007	575	463	728	1,134	1,092	2,191	301
2002	676	307	775	797	676	1,914	230	
	farms, 2007	206	47	70	246	335	541	93
	2002	193	45	53	268	304	579	80
\$1,000, 2007	2007	1,185	1,128	2,227	1,451	2,340	9,628	492
	2002	820	1,479	2,286	1,840	1,528	2,202	231
	farms, 2007	135	38	68	232	234	421	97
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹	2002	105	33	52	232	166	262	46
	\$1,000, 2007	1,790	1,826	1,182	2,431	2,008	5,884	983
	2002	1,098	1,377	1,057	1,274	956	3,551	2,236

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Item	Chowan	Clay	Cleveland	Columbus	Craven	Cumberland	Currituck	Dare
Total farm production expenses ¹farms, 2007	190	137	1,188	777	286	500	80	7
2002	171	167	1,124	829	276	480	84	8
\$1,000, 2007	35,310	1,297	46,897	118,995	44,471	81,438	9,538	1,399
2002	30,463	1,320	34,078	89,643	39,124	52,822	8,095	940
Average per farmdollars, 2007	185,843	9,466	39,476	153,147	155,495	162,877	119,227	199,905
2002	178,144	7,904	30,318	108,133	141,753	110,045	96,375	117,544
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms, 2007	156	92	623	585	186	303	57	5
2002	133	135	663	645	216	394	73	7
\$1,000, 2007	5,363	157	3,016	8,112	5,553	3,280	1,699	89
2002	2,496	126	1,799	6,325	2,863	2,221	1,469	82
Chemicals purchasedfarms, 2007	145	56	413	481	169	263	59	7
2002	124	89	388	608	219	316	67	8
\$1,000, 2007	3,975	24	1,030	5,033	2,061	2,002	809	65
2002	4,261	44	828	4,247	2,413	1,824	935	29
Seeds, plants, vines, and treesfarms, 2007	142	26	286	440	138	220	48	5
2002	137	76	368	654	207	318	64	7
\$1,000, 2007	3,745	15	1,749	3,771	2,053	(D)	911	291
2002	2,316	13	810	3,878	1,545	1,301	987	(D)
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	22	20	212	103	49	105	9	-
2002	32	37	224	67	53	80	4	1
\$1,000, 2007	1,219	73	4,329	30,802	8,620	21,410	8	-
2002	2,004	115	3,217	21,265	7,701	13,520	3	(D)
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²farms, 2007	7	11	91	39	25	51	1	-
2002	1	22	152	11	20	11	4	1
\$1,000, 2007	20	34	644	1,115	1,081	1,188	(D)	-
2002	(D)	54	230	869	487	588	3	(D)
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	15	9	146	70	27	63	9	-
2002	31	21	100	58	35	-	-	1
\$1,000, 2007	1,199	39	3,685	29,687	7,539	20,222	(D)	-
2002	(D)	62	2,986	20,396	7,213	12,932	-	(D)
Feed purchasedfarms, 2007	41	83	595	261	94	221	27	-
2002	68	113	664	345	115	246	33	-
\$1,000, 2007	3,101	173	20,066	37,008	6,880	29,307	178	-
2002	5,421	239	14,527	22,919	7,361	16,045	44	-
Gasoline, fuels, and oilsfarms, 2007	186	135	1,166	760	280	490	80	7
2002	171	160	1,080	829	271	467	80	7
\$1,000, 2007	2,485	183	2,361	6,172	3,307	2,863	821	160
2002	1,121	84	1,145	3,234	1,519	1,517	346	76
Utilities (see text)farms, 2007	109	53	411	385	148	229	43	7
2002	122	64	483	507	214	240	54	8
\$1,000, 2007	792	38	1,246	2,163	1,051	1,213	160	42
2002	751	28	1,016	1,579	1,077	810	102	23
Supplies, repairs, and maintenancefarms, 2007	178	116	1,095	711	259	442	73	7
2002	161	164	1,030	795	270	424	78	8
\$1,000, 2007	2,662	156	2,579	4,925	2,381	2,835	1,136	145
2002	1,677	184	2,421	4,847	2,597	2,296	867	147
Hired farm laborfarms, 2007	77	15	161	224	101	115	25	6
2002	74	30	233	307	105	162	33	5
\$1,000, 2007	5,154	36	2,292	6,152	5,076	(D)	1,353	273
2002	3,562	35	3,601	6,707	4,027	4,358	821	163
Contract laborfarms, 2007	32	12	54	76	26	36	12	5
2002	34	4	18	154	20	92	5	1
\$1,000, 2007	681	18	284	1,735	327	1,824	407	11
2002	1,181	5	30	848	573	965	47	(D)
Customwork and custom haulingfarms, 2007	43	11	82	129	39	49	10	3
2002	29	14	151	182	61	115	15	4
\$1,000, 2007	175	(D)	314	392	268	200	37	70
2002	372	10	267	619	481	630	295	129
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms, 2007	94	20	205	250	80	106	21	2
2002	83	32	203	364	84	160	28	3
\$1,000, 2007	2,358	50	849	4,085	2,404	2,317	847	(D)
2002	2,243	34	382	5,205	2,468	2,131	1,352	7
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms, 2007	10	2	31	28	14	31	6	2
2002	18	8	31	84	32	31	7	-
\$1,000, 2007	88	(D)	62	239	201	171	129	(D)
2002	227	18	18	307	279	206	71	-
Interest expensefarms, 2007	55	23	209	206	74	115	32	5
2002	83	26	201	477	107	135	33	6
\$1,000, 2007	747	107	1,614	1,770	1,066	1,380	421	82
2002	1,044	125	1,257	2,469	1,468	1,446	176	110
Secured by real estatefarms, 2007	36	19	171	157	51	81	21	2
2002	72	21	161	318	83	73	13	5
\$1,000, 2007	388	(D)	1,248	1,277	488	1,025	224	(D)
2002	752	114	1,219	1,936	973	1,200	48	68
Not secured by real estatefarms, 2007	38	11	115	118	53	71	21	5
2002	31	15	49	188	49	82	22	4
\$1,000, 2007	359	(D)	366	493	577	354	197	(D)
2002	292	11	38	533	495	247	129	41
Property taxes paidfarms, 2007	180	125	1,075	708	265	454	74	5
2002	152	138	1,003	787	274	449	80	8
\$1,000, 2007	967	150	1,749	2,026	742	1,337	239	15
2002	697	134	1,265	1,430	674	1,165	162	28
All other production expenses (see text)farms, 2007	103	59	420	309	148	247	47	7
2002	123	70	456	374	173	215	39	6
\$1,000, 2007	1,796	99	3,355	4,608	2,481	4,694	402	41
2002	1,089	126	1,495	3,764	2,078	2,388	418	(D)
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹farms, 2007	117	54	400	323	111	181	31	7
2002	82	39	328	282	128	166	36	5
\$1,000, 2007	3,153	455	3,741	5,635	3,556	3,453	505	(D)
2002	1,887	111	3,230	4,366	2,523	3,196	(D)	183

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Item	Davidson	Davie	Duplin	Durham	Edgecombe	Forsyth	Franklin	Gaston
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms, 2007	1,074	627	1,159	242	300	680	593	516
..... 2002	1,134	704	1,192	237	283	789	574	451
..... \$1,000, 2007	32,532	17,667	897,941	9,689	108,328	16,458	46,166	10,922
..... 2002	24,505	15,661	599,841	5,621	88,065	22,645	40,629	10,469
Average per farm dollars, 2007	30,291	28,177	774,755	40,037	361,095	24,203	77,851	21,167
..... 2002	21,610	22,246	503,222	23,719	311,184	28,700	70,783	23,213
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms, 2007	735	420	755	143	179	466	319	302
..... 2002	870	562	660	144	192	466	334	247
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,388	1,943	12,709	455	7,836	1,428	4,627	739
..... 2002	1,410	1,346	8,316	458	5,047	1,137	2,425	446
Chemicals purchased farms, 2007	440	240	770	107	165	261	237	173
..... 2002	520	208	745	94	247	250	258	93
..... \$1,000, 2007	745	356	6,553	209	6,992	580	1,569	169
..... 2002	581	490	7,076	191	8,237	880	2,302	59
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees farms, 2007	422	185	563	99	163	263	233	149
..... 2002	487	176	591	101	197	315	327	124
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,074	524	5,511	584	4,501	2,092	1,857	240
..... 2002	460	677	4,409	373	3,530	6,582	1,922	505
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	189	185	646	40	68	94	141	108
..... 2002	228	122	654	34	35	72	96	114
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,437	1,864	310,134	259	10,674	439	4,888	487
..... 2002	1,819	2,176	212,901	181	5,567	102	1,999	520
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ² farms, 2007	113	94	122	29	21	56	71	54
..... 2002	133	66	100	17	8	47	79	59
..... \$1,000, 2007	263	321	11,710	124	348	134	779	101
..... 2002	257	167	4,778	(D)	102	18	244	63
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	96	111	570	23	62	46	84	73
..... 2002	118	58	586	17	31	25	17	55
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,174	1,544	298,424	135	10,326	306	4,108	387
..... 2002	1,562	2,008	208,123	(D)	5,464	84	1,755	457
Feed purchased farms, 2007	527	387	780	147	117	339	309	309
..... 2002	643	516	824	154	112	395	269	303
..... \$1,000, 2007	11,101	4,546	432,654	937	24,722	1,588	8,243	3,655
..... 2002	7,828	2,371	267,054	353	19,252	685	5,232	4,028
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms, 2007	1,048	612	1,143	239	286	666	572	505
..... 2002	1,124	656	1,190	226	279	762	573	432
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,300	1,284	17,696	709	5,452	1,891	3,733	655
..... 2002	1,589	665	9,147	465	3,071	1,428	1,822	313
Utilities (see text) farms, 2007	462	311	847	110	143	300	280	209
..... 2002	500	337	879	111	179	305	333	174
..... \$1,000, 2007	831	515	10,017	273	2,085	426	1,044	336
..... 2002	870	368	7,964	191	1,777	504	849	254
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance farms, 2007	1,011	576	1,105	208	268	613	550	434
..... 2002	1,034	628	1,147	208	260	789	545	398
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,483	1,467	16,613	1,075	5,094	1,457	3,199	987
..... 2002	2,720	3,052	13,323	713	3,818	2,408	5,031	984
Hired farm labor farms, 2007	169	107	460	57	92	110	147	51
..... 2002	206	156	636	56	152	133	192	89
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,416	1,011	26,697	2,668	15,598	2,434	8,660	1,060
..... 2002	2,031	1,059	27,107	978	16,713	3,647	9,180	1,519
Contract labor farms, 2007	53	46	162	30	43	37	58	26
..... 2002	19	49	253	22	79	84	55	11
..... \$1,000, 2007	215	238	3,399	287	1,815	395	790	94
..... 2002	9	115	4,299	107	1,333	304	611	(D)
Customwork and custom hauling farms, 2007	63	57	207	18	40	39	63	36
..... 2002	112	153	319	21	63	15	51	52
..... \$1,000, 2007	424	110	2,204	(D)	1,947	(D)	122	206
..... 2002	216	291	2,572	47	1,729	506	193	49
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees farms, 2007	212	108	361	26	100	96	144	57
..... 2002	160	157	242	31	109	29	100	66
..... \$1,000, 2007	586	617	6,191	(D)	5,421	449	1,630	92
..... 2002	645	457	6,225	218	8,094	417	2,762	75
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles farms, 2007	23	12	52	7	21	8	20	8
..... 2002	73	19	97	9	23	24	8	2
..... \$1,000, 2007	22	59	363	21	553	(D)	138	9
..... 2002	50	100	804	22	516	302	92	(D)
Interest expense farms, 2007	168	120	393	46	89	118	162	88
..... 2002	247	151	422	52	117	85	175	69
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,359	974	6,032	453	2,076	1,207	1,555	613
..... 2002	1,322	552	6,885	475	2,561	762	1,227	382
Secured by real estate farms, 2007	135	93	325	38	65	89	123	60
..... 2002	216	136	335	42	85	32	132	62
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,139	788	4,897	392	1,215	1,020	1,192	513
..... 2002	1,147	399	5,937	429	1,708	522	786	317
Not secured by real estate farms, 2007	98	81	219	21	59	52	102	55
..... 2002	90	71	162	24	75	65	65	30
..... \$1,000, 2007	220	186	1,136	61	861	187	363	101
..... 2002	175	153	948	46	853	240	440	64
Property taxes paid farms, 2007	1,001	589	1,084	212	261	614	553	464
..... 2002	1,032	674	1,148	226	272	721	538	429
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,774	1,132	4,762	589	1,397	1,128	1,554	863
..... 2002	1,409	1,074	3,314	329	1,176	1,316	1,138	718
All other production expenses (see text) farms, 2007	401	262	811	120	135	243	253	224
..... 2002	575	367	716	95	157	359	377	201
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,378	1,026	36,406	813	12,166	812	2,557	717
..... 2002	1,546	871	18,445	520	5,643	1,665	3,843	575
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹ farms, 2007	400	269	577	93	132	235	206	134
..... 2002	326	276	513	63	113	211	150	121
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,107	1,879	20,585	1,228	7,103	1,164	3,288	1,125
..... 2002	15,107	3,007	15,283	526	4,986	1,190	2,089	637

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Item	Gates	Graham	Granville	Greene	Guilford	Halifax	Hamett	Haywood
Total farm production expenses ¹farms, 2007	181	126	673	292	963	365	727	707
2002	126	142	674	272	1,085	379	730	795
\$1,000, 2007	38,518	1,571	21,483	167,965	46,270	83,783	142,453	15,759
2002	25,790	1,915	18,645	135,332	35,724	55,147	88,533	9,681
Average per farmdollars, 2007	212,805	12,468	31,921	575,224	48,048	229,543	195,947	22,290
2002	204,680	13,486	27,664	497,543	32,925	145,508	121,279	12,177
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms, 2007	78	63	354	181	691	172	474	471
2002	80	90	439	196	800	253	432	678
\$1,000, 2007	3,602	69	2,099	5,646	3,983	6,819	5,687	1,063
2002	2,013	48	1,414	3,991	2,456	4,663	3,551	646
Chemicals purchasedfarms, 2007	70	30	241	198	447	157	432	335
2002	75	58	256	195	545	234	403	322
\$1,000, 2007	3,236	8	878	4,288	1,414	6,818	4,507	513
2002	3,006	12	1,028	3,971	960	6,490	3,460	408
Seeds, plants, vines, and treesfarms, 2007	68	27	226	162	410	151	349	228
2002	78	46	255	187	409	220	336	217
\$1,000, 2007	2,293	16	530	2,897	4,227	5,142	3,334	544
2002	1,430	9	445	1,882	2,624	2,574	1,753	418
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	33	35	109	95	195	43	169	155
2002	36	25	61	99	242	61	137	122
\$1,000, 2007	4,068	87	1,185	47,170	4,432	15,025	15,472	747
2002	2,954	42	894	38,881	1,770	6,177	11,003	109
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²farms, 2007	8	20	75	17	100	21	73	80
2002	13	17	43	21	123	20	48	83
\$1,000, 2007	(D)	19	142	902	614	2,544	629	264
2002	(D)	31	21	789	286	796	654	74
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	27	32	61	86	111	24	120	84
2002	25	9	49	83	120	44	103	39
\$1,000, 2007	(D)	68	1,043	46,268	3,818	12,481	14,844	483
2002	(D)	11	873	38,092	1,484	5,381	10,349	35
Feed purchasedfarms, 2007	65	81	307	121	513	90	376	461
2002	52	89	339	136	668	130	395	562
\$1,000, 2007	10,840	375	2,500	66,682	6,407	16,967	68,193	3,070
2002	6,921	734	1,556	53,900	3,101	11,386	37,535	1,577
Gasoline, fuels, and oilsfarms, 2007	181	119	642	288	948	342	720	696
2002	118	126	580	262	1,057	369	719	728
\$1,000, 2007	1,878	265	2,333	5,205	3,303	4,141	7,670	1,210
2002	797	134	1,512	2,428	1,889	1,929	3,307	440
Utilities (see text)farms, 2007	84	37	283	175	463	159	376	250
2002	75	53	324	204	544	176	378	274
\$1,000, 2007	561	54	642	2,364	1,229	1,307	2,507	360
2002	321	101	682	2,102	903	1,084	1,786	441
Supplies, repairs, and maintenancefarms, 2007	170	108	619	269	902	326	680	636
2002	115	121	564	253	996	362	691	667
\$1,000, 2007	2,050	219	2,834	5,061	3,859	4,008	5,185	1,623
2002	1,396	298	1,982	3,752	3,735	3,735	4,469	978
Hired farm laborfarms, 2007	33	19	142	103	229	125	203	130
2002	48	33	230	161	245	192	253	172
\$1,000, 2007	3,006	82	3,119	8,767	7,848	6,902	7,535	2,586
2002	2,148	171	3,399	8,036	6,161	5,141	6,132	1,933
Contract laborfarms, 2007	10	4	46	38	64	36	43	52
2002	16	9	41	59	111	30	46	72
\$1,000, 2007	171	(D)	967	4,305	729	1,903	1,718	533
2002	249	(D)	638	1,004	357	595	650	71
Customwork and custom haulingfarms, 2007	26	1	47	78	82	53	67	60
2002	32	4	16	96	95	40	169	44
\$1,000, 2007	355	(D)	74	1,947	298	595	247	173
2002	107	(Z)	24	1,087	217	330	320	31
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms, 2007	49	14	127	94	179	102	188	168
2002	51	11	147	109	184	118	122	106
\$1,000, 2007	2,729	16	726	3,681	1,140	6,266	3,031	513
2002	2,003	21	2,051	4,934	1,233	5,486	4,583	579
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms, 2007	5	-	23	18	36	26	36	15
2002	14	2	28	34	40	20	57	13
\$1,000, 2007	51	-	38	335	174	659	181	25
2002	277	(D)	128	739	129	328	370	3
Interest expensefarms, 2007	54	29	148	105	196	115	211	121
2002	51	22	132	146	158	127	215	130
\$1,000, 2007	740	128	1,198	2,131	2,092	2,333	3,662	788
2002	647	71	900	3,197	1,196	1,945	4,481	356
Secured by real estatefarms, 2007	41	23	109	82	151	78	175	94
2002	40	13	86	101	110	103	177	79
\$1,000, 2007	458	103	964	1,479	1,581	1,292	3,174	639
2002	475	62	665	2,415	910	1,195	3,792	218
Not secured by real estatefarms, 2007	41	20	85	64	116	76	120	79
2002	26	11	101	77	56	49	83	80
\$1,000, 2007	282	25	233	652	512	1,041	489	148
2002	173	9	235	782	287	750	690	138
Property taxes paidfarms, 2007	165	109	612	262	868	325	665	642
2002	124	134	661	247	1,014	346	687	707
\$1,000, 2007	657	142	1,287	1,121	1,921	1,446	2,081	1,213
2002	493	143	1,027	1,185	4,620	875	1,849	1,412
All other production expenses (see text)farms, 2007	80	56	262	168	414	143	344	313
2002	87	39	275	173	576	239	354	245
\$1,000, 2007	2,282	100	1,075	6,368	3,215	3,454	11,443	798
2002	1,027	117	966	4,244	4,313	2,409	3,285	279
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹farms, 2007	62	45	238	148	360	154	291	270
2002	54	40	111	137	398	103	340	148
\$1,000, 2007	2,882	360	2,532	5,312	3,913	5,909	6,576	2,111
2002	2,062	91	1,399	4,107	3,121	3,586	5,433	1,911

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Item	Henderson	Hertford	Hoke	Hyde	Iredell	Jackson	Johnston	Jones
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms, 2007	557	163	249	176	1,201	229	1,245	159
..... 2002	523	135	201	145	1,284	251	1,147	151
..... \$1,000, 2007	53,774	65,180	58,404	55,364	101,741	7,361	174,383	84,359
..... 2002	40,276	49,026	39,781	30,282	65,649	8,236	124,911	79,991
Average per farm dollars, 2007	96,542	399,877	234,555	314,565	84,714	32,142	140,067	530,562
..... 2002	77,009	363,156	197,915	208,840	51,129	32,813	108,902	529,741
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms, 2007	402	97	150	88	724	180	871	102
..... 2002	430	93	129	94	878	212	758	109
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,180	3,666	2,158	5,593	4,739	483	13,178	3,714
..... 2002	1,398	2,308	1,648	4,751	2,864	274	7,584	3,125
Chemicals purchased farms, 2007	323	91	143	74	479	134	748	87
..... 2002	334	104	136	93	605	133	703	100
..... \$1,000, 2007	4,529	3,298	1,394	3,538	1,503	260	7,827	2,926
..... 2002	3,560	3,843	1,973	4,895	1,618	499	5,604	3,494
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees farms, 2007	200	81	107	62	320	102	642	80
..... 2002	242	89	79	95	442	138	622	88
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,305	2,247	1,397	(D)	2,383	392	7,088	1,667
..... 2002	1,621	2,187	836	2,700	867	828	5,763	1,300
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	90	37	62	7	311	39	198	69
..... 2002	45	37	56	7	346	34	146	55
..... \$1,000, 2007	554	14,997	10,457	(D)	25,657	79	26,754	27,346
..... 2002	552	9,691	8,291	(D)	9,972	25	19,412	24,308
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ² farms, 2007	41	7	23	1	129	16	90	25
..... 2002	45	4	34	5	189	10	47	25
..... \$1,000, 2007	423	157	931	(D)	13,418	28	916	2,084
..... 2002	552	(D)	380	3	1,724	4	834	1,529
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	62	33	51	6	205	24	132	57
..... 2002	-	33	43	3	230	24	111	40
..... \$1,000, 2007	131	14,840	9,527	(D)	12,238	50	25,838	25,262
..... 2002	-	(D)	7,911	(D)	8,248	20	18,578	22,779
Feed purchased farms, 2007	239	45	141	9	754	106	588	95
..... 2002	207	56	91	27	904	112	636	88
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,693	19,157	25,446	(D)	32,031	230	48,714	30,514
..... 2002	2,171	12,557	9,997	(D)	22,723	68	33,464	23,403
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms, 2007	551	158	244	158	1,173	228	1,214	157
..... 2002	516	134	186	142	1,245	236	1,104	147
..... \$1,000, 2007	4,256	3,770	1,916	3,009	3,485	551	11,116	1,903
..... 2002	2,166	1,327	1,038	1,357	1,751	227	5,354	1,684
Utilities (see text) farms, 2007	236	70	131	58	546	82	612	92
..... 2002	185	101	109	76	570	104	679	131
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,309	1,026	1,085	1,434	2,247	147	3,398	1,140
..... 2002	1,134	807	706	484	1,709	124	2,648	3,880
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance farms, 2007	513	147	235	150	1,088	218	1,150	150
..... 2002	498	114	185	134	1,148	221	904	144
..... \$1,000, 2007	4,336	3,054	1,836	4,319	5,378	951	8,759	3,001
..... 2002	3,432	2,645	1,905	2,906	5,090	778	7,282	2,810
Hired farm labor farms, 2007	153	58	89	45	241	58	325	58
..... 2002	187	63	68	57	299	81	379	90
..... \$1,000, 2007	18,542	3,878	5,774	7,531	7,518	2,189	17,139	4,336
..... 2002	15,370	5,760	6,647	3,967	6,403	2,384	13,312	5,991
Contract labor farms, 2007	87	22	36	22	72	34	137	27
..... 2002	67	23	14	20	79	42	157	48
..... \$1,000, 2007	4,632	1,087	336	723	565	403	5,110	289
..... 2002	667	331	146	563	320	1,117	2,439	825
Customwork and custom hauling farms, 2007	25	35	25	28	134	13	164	23
..... 2002	23	33	33	27	224	13	177	42
..... \$1,000, 2007	470	(D)	98	408	1,283	(D)	698	207
..... 2002	(D)	236	279	912	1,972	67	718	751
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees farms, 2007	107	47	49	39	281	29	384	46
..... 2002	106	57	44	45	313	37	369	70
..... \$1,000, 2007	772	2,169	996	2,370	3,133	105	5,570	1,558
..... 2002	719	2,037	1,226	3,034	1,022	275	8,078	2,668
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles farms, 2007	24	4	7	8	47	4	55	11
..... 2002	27	16	22	19	49	11	109	15
..... \$1,000, 2007	74	(D)	38	593	115	(D)	530	156
..... 2002	622	444	424	434	58	96	1,103	115
Interest expense farms, 2007	81	60	66	43	269	41	304	65
..... 2002	111	65	70	51	396	64	328	84
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,323	831	825	1,765	2,492	499	4,381	1,353
..... 2002	(D)	1,602	853	1,236	2,806	313	3,838	1,292
Secured by real estate farms, 2007	66	42	54	30	225	35	240	45
..... 2002	100	35	53	28	358	48	215	62
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,133	507	750	1,370	1,998	364	3,451	1,016
..... 2002	(D)	463	741	749	2,512	185	2,719	919
Not secured by real estate farms, 2007	48	41	33	29	127	21	164	40
..... 2002	30	43	24	39	62	21	166	36
..... \$1,000, 2007	190	324	75	394	494	135	930	337
..... 2002	257	1,139	112	487	294	128	1,119	373
Property taxes paid farms, 2007	503	149	233	160	1,088	196	1,159	146
..... 2002	488	131	186	134	1,244	230	1,036	148
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,133	837	1,097	921	2,279	290	3,343	791
..... 2002	910	660	490	540	1,986	403	2,540	767
All other production expenses (see text) farms, 2007	276	93	132	57	577	94	554	103
..... 2002	226	88	114	79	619	120	599	106
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,666	4,185	3,552	3,674	6,932	692	10,779	3,458
..... 2002	2,903	2,591	3,323	1,978	4,489	758	5,773	3,579
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹ farms, 2007	173	89	99	70	493	76	489	71
..... 2002	118	66	73	51	415	53	405	82
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,895	2,702	3,227	4,940	6,448	708	8,959	2,795
..... 2002	3,395	2,455	2,321	2,202	4,806	568	7,084	2,753

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Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.

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Item	Lee	Lenoir	Lincoln	McDowell	Macon	Madison	Martin	Mecklenburg
Total farm production expenses ¹farms, 2007	272	480	638	383	346	801	320	236
2002	306	427	619	274	348	981	307	302
\$1,000, 2007	26,259	204,367	19,226	15,492	6,135	10,573	45,868	64,968
2002	17,515	120,483	22,690	11,175	3,580	10,727	44,559	58,536
Average per farmdollars, 2007	96,541	425,764	30,135	40,450	17,731	13,200	143,338	275,286
2002	57,240	282,162	36,656	40,786	10,287	10,935	145,145	193,829
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms, 2007	188	317	402	248	263	474	223	156
2002	186	285	357	199	261	796	257	208
\$1,000, 2007	1,294	10,836	1,811	663	427	907	7,281	2,941
2002	745	5,710	1,283	202	486	749	4,474	731
Chemicals purchasedfarms, 2007	156	294	218	155	155	289	218	101
2002	123	301	165	164	114	522	272	139
\$1,000, 2007	1,202	7,504	569	299	101	176	6,114	1,961
2002	691	6,694	454	232	50	194	6,724	1,191
Seeds, plants, vines, and treesfarms, 2007	121	239	201	106	98	280	198	94
2002	153	277	138	120	61	416	223	133
\$1,000, 2007	702	5,294	433	1,175	209	286	3,628	(D)
2002	436	2,498	704	1,177	151	194	2,283	(D)
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	51	149	114	107	94	107	16	35
2002	57	130	78	55	84	122	37	65
\$1,000, 2007	2,581	47,228	1,631	1,414	215	256	415	156
2002	1,921	29,498	1,782	1,094	100	(D)	1,045	118
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²farms, 2007	21	25	65	43	61	69	6	22
2002	43	9	44	41	44	62	9	28
\$1,000, 2007	75	1,146	486	71	137	190	21	56
2002	46	465	1,053	34	77	55	71	23
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	37	130	63	72	40	55	12	19
2002	29	125	51	14	44	60	29	45
\$1,000, 2007	2,506	46,082	1,145	1,343	78	66	394	100
2002	1,874	29,033	729	1,060	23	(D)	974	95
Feed purchasedfarms, 2007	142	206	339	236	212	456	47	131
2002	154	190	334	130	212	485	51	197
\$1,000, 2007	9,675	76,618	6,663	3,716	1,241	1,619	4,551	811
2002	6,401	42,230	6,098	603	552	662	6,079	700
Gasoline, fuels, and oilsfarms, 2007	265	476	631	382	340	780	314	236
2002	306	416	619	266	332	871	307	288
\$1,000, 2007	1,714	8,521	1,104	1,008	486	1,087	4,953	4,025
2002	764	3,241	779	257	218	412	2,383	1,594
Utilities (see text)farms, 2007	136	297	246	159	133	264	151	91
2002	167	292	251	121	117	333	192	153
\$1,000, 2007	585	3,704	480	320	189	181	1,062	781
2002	528	2,490	490	183	119	135	1,155	874
Supplies, repairs, and maintenancefarms, 2007	259	452	591	358	320	733	292	229
2002	257	379	604	251	312	851	290	283
\$1,000, 2007	1,474	6,749	1,268	1,091	692	1,514	3,291	5,154
2002	1,139	4,616	2,959	1,036	562	4,195	5,712	4,053
Hired farm laborfarms, 2007	62	199	77	47	67	132	111	42
2002	82	266	63	42	42	238	178	51
\$1,000, 2007	2,450	13,042	873	3,411	999	965	4,676	(D)
2002	1,719	7,356	2,015	3,194	345	760	4,112	(D)
Contract laborfarms, 2007	12	74	28	21	20	64	31	24
2002	39	82	47	10	9	93	72	31
\$1,000, 2007	31	2,656	247	33	140	462	562	129
2002	289	968	43	19	2	699	1,051	183
Customwork and custom haulingfarms, 2007	19	94	45	16	16	45	58	21
2002	38	131	55	23	30	68	74	49
\$1,000, 2007	69	1,469	296	30	(D)	92	853	58
2002	189	1,187	195	69	21	68	737	(D)
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms, 2007	54	193	80	38	41	110	144	23
2002	81	157	154	58	52	69	193	36
\$1,000, 2007	812	5,930	323	255	98	475	2,664	89
2002	859	5,077	393	284	359	160	4,207	117
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms, 2007	15	21	8	11	10	30	17	6
2002	27	50	39	28	7	1	40	18
\$1,000, 2007	92	199	15	6	(D)	37	229	68
2002	128	991	49	23	4	(D)	365	69
Interest expensefarms, 2007	57	147	92	59	50	139	94	47
2002	59	165	145	51	50	121	119	27
\$1,000, 2007	734	3,152	1,090	661	502	772	1,272	3,372
2002	476	2,546	1,162	376	143	697	1,374	(D)
Secured by real estatefarms, 2007	42	109	74	47	35	102	57	33
2002	30	118	122	27	49	89	70	8
\$1,000, 2007	590	2,144	905	611	378	610	554	3,305
2002	361	1,721	1,013	294	(D)	621	809	(D)
Not secured by real estatefarms, 2007	32	87	49	34	26	87	67	34
2002	44	91	33	27	2	39	78	20
\$1,000, 2007	144	1,007	185	49	124	162	719	66
2002	116	825	149	82	(D)	76	565	157
Property taxes paidfarms, 2007	252	431	597	350	315	704	287	216
2002	266	405	541	262	325	912	291	302
\$1,000, 2007	743	2,648	958	534	387	1,038	838	1,218
2002	526	1,607	813	235	275	1,272	775	947
All other production expenses (see text)farms, 2007	117	266	241	165	114	270	160	97
2002	145	264	228	107	95	359	200	159
\$1,000, 2007	2,101	8,817	1,464	878	347	706	3,479	3,551
2002	704	3,773	3,475	2,190	192	465	2,083	(D)
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹farms, 2007	102	189	191	100	108	273	139	68
2002	111	173	155	73	68	294	155	92
\$1,000, 2007	1,866	6,654	2,022	1,282	784	1,702	3,725	(D)
2002	1,193	5,412	1,695	4,421	385	1,545	3,408	(D)

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Item	Mitchell	Montgomery	Moore	Nash	New Hanover	Northampton	Onslow	Orange
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms, 2007	314	289	804	487	73	340	401	604
..... 2002	358	292	820	476	80	333	406	630
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,906	74,613	107,788	116,151	5,024	84,052	130,772	27,396
..... 2002	3,288	45,865	78,262	89,445	4,287	59,149	74,655	17,894
Average per farm dollars, 2007	12,440	258,178	134,065	238,503	68,823	247,212	326,115	45,357
..... 2002	9,185	157,072	95,442	187,909	53,584	177,626	183,880	28,403
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms, 2007	217	164	481	291	47	217	239	404
..... 2002	270	154	528	276	54	244	293	397
..... \$1,000, 2007	334	981	1,419	7,393	321	7,013	2,860	2,338
..... 2002	359	442	897	5,280	121	3,791	2,117	1,217
Chemicals purchased farms, 2007	149	145	371	262	42	206	238	207
..... 2002	184	124	316	268	40	224	294	255
..... \$1,000, 2007	135	489	1,027	5,956	127	6,426	1,733	361
..... 2002	225	298	570	6,626	61	5,497	1,618	285
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees farms, 2007	111	109	285	222	38	188	192	254
..... 2002	140	99	398	280	44	214	248	280
..... \$1,000, 2007	91	444	1,175	3,685	1,219	5,272	1,448	1,762
..... 2002	84	242	851	3,160	836	2,614	1,139	1,182
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	26	105	244	114	5	55	155	136
..... 2002	31	111	219	137	15	69	121	48
..... \$1,000, 2007	79	18,786	11,445	13,897	7	8,888	37,735	2,073
..... 2002	28	11,326	11,773	9,992	27	7,685	21,060	764
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ² farms, 2007	13	34	76	38	3	13	35	71
..... 2002	15	37	38	52	3	10	48	43
..... \$1,000, 2007	42	93	1,159	1,898	(D)	(D)	733	791
..... 2002	11	123	(D)	335	9	(D)	986	97
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	15	83	193	93	5	44	132	80
..... 2002	16	82	188	90	14	63	94	5
..... \$1,000, 2007	37	18,693	10,286	11,998	(D)	(D)	37,002	1,283
..... 2002	16	11,203	(D)	9,657	18	(D)	20,075	667
Feed purchased farms, 2007	106	179	559	237	16	77	243	379
..... 2002	173	186	593	251	30	123	214	421
..... \$1,000, 2007	238	35,741	60,475	31,509	92	26,404	64,275	4,652
..... 2002	165	24,799	40,424	19,656	59	18,768	28,792	4,269
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms, 2007	312	286	797	469	68	326	394	594
..... 2002	322	291	809	473	72	328	406	608
..... \$1,000, 2007	327	1,786	4,048	7,486	255	3,960	2,590	1,536
..... 2002	215	780	1,975	3,706	126	1,648	1,557	855
Utilities (see text) farms, 2007	111	164	389	271	161	211	261	314
..... 2002	122	160	503	297	59	219	284	242
..... \$1,000, 2007	99	1,308	1,790	2,569	157	959	1,320	768
..... 2002	49	969	1,494	2,042	267	952	1,191	344
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance farms, 2007	275	276	753	440	62	304	368	553
..... 2002	293	280	769	455	62	294	387	630
..... \$1,000, 2007	446	2,598	3,409	5,767	425	5,030	2,963	3,014
..... 2002	403	1,733	4,870	5,356	390	3,305	3,002	1,908
Hired farm labor farms, 2007	57	63	166	180	18	96	109	153
..... 2002	67	59	280	230	29	117	122	232
..... \$1,000, 2007	495	3,310	5,037	12,659	1,326	4,299	4,155	4,460
..... 2002	530	2,085	6,822	12,793	1,561	5,637	5,268	3,383
Contract labor farms, 2007	51	38	48	68	17	18	56	50
..... 2002	53	31	87	95	20	21	38	43
..... \$1,000, 2007	350	738	638	4,533	175	200	1,149	455
..... 2002	213	125	648	2,431	54	294	393	50
Customwork and custom hauling farms, 2007	10	21	77	70	8	64	75	70
..... 2002	30	16	215	91	4	82	91	80
..... \$1,000, 2007	10	104	186	2,046	(D)	740	956	337
..... 2002	19	90	271	854	22	512	469	210
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees farms, 2007	36	55	90	153	13	143	106	106
..... 2002	53	42	171	158	18	124	171	118
..... \$1,000, 2007	202	561	1,174	6,060	196	4,670	2,384	556
..... 2002	62	139	776	7,968	122	2,893	1,855	484
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles farms, 2007	10	14	34	38	3	29	19	15
..... 2002	6	14	92	73	3	35	20	25
..... \$1,000, 2007	8	117	84	574	(D)	292	98	25
..... 2002	14	58	433	617	15	415	286	105
Interest expense farms, 2007	58	77	173	131	22	123	117	122
..... 2002	81	76	132	214	18	156	130	104
..... \$1,000, 2007	531	1,001	2,777	2,873	177	2,453	1,551	1,065
..... 2002	362	971	2,518	3,185	152	1,625	1,284	378
Secured by real estate farms, 2007	50	66	156	94	19	90	103	92
..... 2002	53	68	109	165	8	111	101	78
..... \$1,000, 2007	444	828	2,355	1,703	140	1,262	1,214	796
..... 2002	313	915	1,853	2,084	132	890	954	298
Not secured by real estate farms, 2007	42	41	99	74	9	79	65	74
..... 2002	43	18	78	104	12	103	71	52
..... \$1,000, 2007	87	173	421	1,170	37	1,191	337	269
..... 2002	49	56	665	1,101	20	735	330	80
Property taxes paid farms, 2007	278	273	740	439	65	312	370	569
..... 2002	339	271	773	461	69	281	365	572
..... \$1,000, 2007	376	645	1,854	1,291	68	1,412	931	1,409
..... 2002	495	379	1,608	1,466	149	1,146	994	889
All other production expenses (see text) farms, 2007	102	144	371	252	27	170	234	286
..... 2002	90	139	456	323	38	216	245	293
..... \$1,000, 2007	186	6,006	11,251	7,855	269	6,034	4,623	2,585
..... 2002	66	1,430	2,332	4,314	326	2,367	3,629	1,572
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹ farms, 2007	106	110	310	217	30	153	167	212
..... 2002	81	108	244	186	24	159	203	221
..... \$1,000, 2007	765	2,734	5,381	4,686	802	4,206	2,653	1,989
..... 2002	753	1,704	3,533	5,021	912	3,057	3,812	1,494

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Item	Pamlico	Pasquotank	Pender	Perquimans	Person	Pitt	Polk	Randolph
Total farm production expenses ¹farms, 2007	85	144	357	171	403	435	309	1,501
.....farms, 2002	68	158	299	192	374	447	265	1,589
.....\$1,000, 2007	21,435	33,892	130,542	48,684	19,837	139,164	7,361	162,387
.....\$1,000, 2002	14,156	31,218	78,470	35,181	18,995	109,947	6,854	116,053
Average per farmdollars, 2007	252,179	235,363	365,664	284,700	49,224	319,917	23,822	108,186
.....dollars, 2002	208,176	197,581	262,440	183,236	50,788	245,965	25,864	73,036
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms, 2007	46	120	220	133	250	293	200	877
.....farms, 2002	44	138	193	160	226	372	201	752
.....\$1,000, 2007	4,113	7,221	3,948	5,644	2,543	11,607	560	3,242
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,171	4,578	2,159	3,765	1,813	8,082	477	1,653
Chemicals purchasedfarms, 2007	50	106	190	127	157	275	124	558
.....farms, 2002	46	139	188	169	197	342	147	512
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,632	3,669	3,186	3,367	1,045	8,480	212	889
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,948	4,053	2,040	4,713	857	7,294	116	657
Seeds, plants, vines, and treesfarms, 2007	40	108	148	131	168	247	84	465
.....farms, 2002	40	144	190	170	154	320	120	538
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,187	4,842	5,757	3,939	1,091	8,056	392	1,719
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,952	4,013	1,325	3,127	615	5,028	252	1,230
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	8	28	98	36	65	102	45	519
.....farms, 2002	7	8	98	45	65	106	37	551
.....\$1,000, 2007	984	302	31,359	3,614	194	23,955	127	30,364
.....\$1,000, 2002	166	195	16,881	2,109	231	16,230	(D)	17,451
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²farms, 2007	1	14	41	7	43	34	24	198
.....farms, 2002	5	6	36	6	19	64	32	240
.....\$1,000, 2007	(D)	27	1,262	14	173	1,656	67	3,800
.....\$1,000, 2002	(D)	(D)	2,268	4	161	876	36	410
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	7	14	63	29	25	76	26	381
.....farms, 2002	3	2	70	40	47	51	10	421
.....\$1,000, 2007	(D)	275	30,097	3,600	22	22,300	61	26,564
.....\$1,000, 2002	(D)	(D)	14,612	2,104	69	15,354	(D)	17,041
Feed purchasedfarms, 2007	25	38	184	61	188	201	198	1,046
.....farms, 2002	18	24	160	60	228	185	154	1,227
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,045	324	45,747	14,757	1,840	32,380	(D)	82,025
.....\$1,000, 2002	321	168	28,457	7,808	1,619	23,296	451	65,283
Gasoline, fuels, and oilsfarms, 2007	84	144	352	171	392	432	300	1,481
.....farms, 2002	66	151	291	192	344	445	263	1,531
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,466	1,892	3,203	2,066	2,752	8,880	513	4,843
.....\$1,000, 2002	623	1,211	1,833	1,064	1,662	4,471	231	3,184
Utilities (see text)farms, 2007	45	61	192	124	176	277	132	727
.....farms, 2002	49	103	222	168	235	359	142	888
.....\$1,000, 2007	387	284	1,828	502	624	3,282	181	2,879
.....\$1,000, 2002	295	334	1,576	519	712	2,845	167	2,814
Supplies, repairs, and maintenancefarms, 2007	76	140	326	168	360	410	266	1,400
.....farms, 2002	63	158	280	182	318	445	243	1,466
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,566	2,854	3,457	2,699	2,020	7,599	1,339	5,782
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,219	3,483	3,082	2,229	1,802	7,086	788	6,583
Hired farm laborfarms, 2007	27	52	78	67	96	208	57	243
.....farms, 2002	33	59	124	87	189	250	55	234
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,108	2,871	21,361	1,584	2,832	13,490	(D)	7,225
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,713	3,416	9,628	1,833	3,105	12,027	1,387	4,890
Contract laborfarms, 2007	14	15	43	23	24	68	40	80
.....farms, 2002	14	33	59	16	51	100	30	45
.....\$1,000, 2007	(D)	1,274	1,121	294	633	1,890	167	641
.....\$1,000, 2002	379	1,098	1,119	84	442	1,549	98	577
Customwork and custom haulingfarms, 2007	8	28	39	37	46	63	28	97
.....farms, 2002	9	49	51	66	37	113	20	93
.....\$1,000, 2007	590	216	870	283	200	610	150	470
.....\$1,000, 2002	117	432	291	662	56	695	(D)	334
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms, 2007	32	66	82	98	89	166	21	290
.....farms, 2002	34	77	87	140	102	153	15	219
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,505	4,087	1,118	3,691	805	6,576	126	1,468
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,475	4,254	1,603	3,869	1,457	9,431	39	776
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms, 2007	4	9	12	11	18	25	9	37
.....farms, 2002	12	17	22	17	7	76	14	86
.....\$1,000, 2007	(D)	66	361	247	75	317	85	56
.....\$1,000, 2002	181	277	206	261	62	816	22	194
Interest expensefarms, 2007	31	57	83	75	97	142	81	353
.....farms, 2002	31	67	102	119	157	183	79	379
.....\$1,000, 2007	740	1,217	1,591	1,492	964	3,003	783	3,889
.....\$1,000, 2002	445	914	2,476	1,270	1,812	3,635	711	3,873
Secured by real estatefarms, 2007	25	36	68	41	74	93	64	284
.....farms, 2002	20	44	86	62	102	136	61	341
.....\$1,000, 2007	553	673	1,202	548	653	2,008	686	3,224
.....\$1,000, 2002	234	608	2,110	692	1,543	2,497	585	3,432
Not secured by real estatefarms, 2007	12	43	46	65	61	89	47	199
.....farms, 2002	19	38	41	95	81	111	45	95
.....\$1,000, 2007	188	544	388	944	311	995	97	665
.....\$1,000, 2002	211	306	366	578	269	1,139	126	441
Property taxes paidfarms, 2007	83	129	329	165	381	386	282	1,416
.....farms, 2002	67	138	287	183	342	443	248	1,538
.....\$1,000, 2007	326	664	1,006	727	910	1,676	630	2,879
.....\$1,000, 2002	380	527	1,151	608	1,711	1,582	341	2,282
All other production expenses (see text)farms, 2007	48	74	170	107	176	258	138	705
.....farms, 2002	40	95	180	131	152	304	106	770
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,336	2,108	4,628	3,778	1,309	7,363	436	14,017
.....\$1,000, 2002	769	2,266	4,640	1,261	1,040	5,878	1,195	4,272
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹farms, 2007	44	71	137	89	146	218	101	565
.....farms, 2002	34	76	119	91	172	238	75	510
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,193	3,066	3,676	1,964	2,982	8,224	864	8,468
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,280	2,231	4,294	1,709	2,152	6,756	682	8,876

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Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Richmond	Robeson	Rockingham	Rowan	Rutherford	Sampson	Scotland	Stanly
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms, 2007	278	1,017	863	983	705	1,203	190	713
..... 2002	261	876	872	943	654	1,187	162	716
..... \$1,000, 2007	97,842	227,578	30,709	54,091	10,298	950,617	79,871	87,024
..... 2002	52,760	163,785	22,068	28,136	15,983	555,783	36,885	48,758
Average per farm dollars, 2007	351,948	223,774	35,584	55,026	14,608	790,206	420,371	122,053
..... 2002	202,144	186,970	25,307	29,837	24,439	468,225	227,685	68,097
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms, 2007	112	769	583	698	428	811	102	403
..... 2002	114	717	699	605	420	910	111	332
..... \$1,000, 2007	658	14,446	2,625	5,676	1,007	18,652	2,141	4,413
..... 2002	669	10,403	1,804	2,326	630	11,932	1,223	1,908
Chemicals purchased farms, 2007	116	658	359	402	209	826	90	305
..... 2002	107	678	383	335	95	881	93	227
..... \$1,000, 2007	840	8,501	1,204	1,936	137	13,630	1,118	1,515
..... 2002	796	10,081	1,136	1,078	122	10,673	1,471	1,419
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees farms, 2007	78	592	350	362	187	648	64	203
..... 2002	86	574	405	225	172	789	94	183
..... \$1,000, 2007	519	7,155	1,850	2,758	210	11,378	932	1,766
..... 2002	706	5,060	613	1,180	133	5,772	823	946
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	98	167	121	224	142	522	54	183
..... 2002	83	174	110	208	94	433	38	201
..... \$1,000, 2007	13,443	32,127	1,037	3,437	638	276,819	8,445	10,014
..... 2002	9,394	30,926	533	1,151	653	174,641	3,356	4,886
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ² farms, 2007	17	63	64	118	81	115	14	75
..... 2002	11	53	37	143	71	87	6	104
..... \$1,000, 2007	446	3,778	485	381	248	21,064	(D)	1,064
..... 2002	384	2,458	110	543	51	10,023	(D)	309
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	87	117	68	136	89	462	46	122
..... 2002	74	129	73	65	23	390	36	127
..... \$1,000, 2007	12,997	28,348	552	3,056	390	255,755	(D)	8,950
..... 2002	9,009	28,468	423	608	602	164,619	(D)	4,577
Feed purchased farms, 2007	159	431	407	610	405	698	102	433
..... 2002	128	372	452	615	431	672	86	471
..... \$1,000, 2007	60,378	103,770	3,343	10,444	2,496	429,097	48,425	40,870
..... 2002	30,147	54,699	1,463	5,376	4,243	220,048	19,249	23,797
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms, 2007	272	991	852	967	676	1,190	189	703
..... 2002	259	856	830	943	600	1,183	154	663
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,042	9,435	3,578	2,936	883	21,431	2,466	2,519
..... 2002	928	5,591	1,957	1,233	430	9,197	874	1,544
Utilities (see text) farms, 2007	136	491	383	412	246	776	96	297
..... 2002	133	517	427	401	371	883	94	376
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,822	2,753	947	1,077	245	11,679	1,005	1,157
..... 2002	1,071	2,822	883	562	412	8,590	733	1,030
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance farms, 2007	256	925	798	877	629	1,127	171	659
..... 2002	243	834	798	868	572	1,098	140	656
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,136	7,792	3,429	5,462	1,292	25,065	1,572	3,371
..... 2002	2,160	8,849	2,954	4,404	2,624	19,447	1,493	3,003
Hired farm labor farms, 2007	77	288	194	142	70	460	55	80
..... 2002	85	292	321	104	141	626	68	148
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,415	9,346	4,895	8,994	442	50,892	2,415	7,135
..... 2002	2,618	14,532	3,253	5,642	466	38,674	4,237	2,158
Contract labor farms, 2007	25	87	47	30	47	214	16	20
..... 2002	20	60	41	37	37	255	18	33
..... \$1,000, 2007	197	1,973	674	1,138	187	22,114	109	136
..... 2002	322	1,139	323	178	17	9,781	41	30
Customwork and custom hauling farms, 2007	26	137	55	96	32	243	28	60
..... 2002	23	120	47	102	41	381	25	109
..... \$1,000, 2007	(D)	870	155	275	(D)	3,170	76	766
..... 2002	89	613	365	316	16	2,026	271	267
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees farms, 2007	33	331	150	189	74	411	31	142
..... 2002	28	309	197	169	100	453	40	83
..... \$1,000, 2007	342	7,562	1,122	1,448	111	10,099	1,021	1,638
..... 2002	368	7,348	1,642	550	48	10,912	709	1,007
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles farms, 2007	11	44	29	34	12	89	7	17
..... 2002	19	70	86	45	22	59	16	32
..... \$1,000, 2007	(D)	306	63	324	(D)	2,598	67	14
..... 2002	84	928	237	154	6	1,439	206	65
Interest expense farms, 2007	82	273	203	203	127	427	60	169
..... 2002	102	332	251	132	190	554	42	215
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,228	3,176	1,876	2,843	914	8,848	1,469	2,716
..... 2002	1,468	3,269	1,415	1,060	5,067	8,498	693	3,032
Secured by real estate farms, 2007	74	184	160	167	106	346	48	148
..... 2002	73	171	178	93	135	448	28	179
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,949	2,187	1,521	2,489	817	6,728	1,223	2,362
..... 2002	1,250	2,202	1,139	910	1,625	6,800	567	2,801
Not secured by real estate farms, 2007	36	153	117	104	63	229	34	81
..... 2002	47	220	150	42	77	213	21	81
..... \$1,000, 2007	279	989	355	353	97	2,119	246	354
..... 2002	218	1,067	277	150	3,442	1,698	126	230
Property taxes paid farms, 2007	257	928	806	873	642	1,114	174	649
..... 2002	222	835	856	830	610	1,182	157	673
..... \$1,000, 2007	875	2,859	1,591	1,963	982	6,095	1,032	1,417
..... 2002	465	2,020	1,277	1,287	653	3,713	448	2,037
All other production expenses (see text) farms, 2007	128	415	379	475	257	790	93	301
..... 2002	120	410	488	444	277	692	67	267
..... \$1,000, 2007	8,693	15,507	2,321	3,383	645	39,050	7,577	7,578
..... 2002	1,475	5,505	2,213	1,639	465	20,439	1,057	1,630
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹ farms, 2007	103	341	336	381	244	574	85	240
..... 2002	69	274	304	187	221	542	53	286
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,593	11,142	2,841	6,931	1,424	29,721	3,425	5,046
..... 2002	1,828	7,203	3,137	2,845	1,632	20,111	991	4,327

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Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.

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Item	Stokes	Surry	Swain	Transylvania	Tyrrell	Union	Vance	Wake
Total farm production expenses ¹farms, 2007	963	1,258	85	279	68	1,107	246	827
.....farms, 2002	918	1,270	84	257	92	1,188	228	852
.....\$1,000, 2007	21,932	99,995	1,125	11,701	30,038	315,021	9,374	43,698
.....2002	17,345	67,798	1,078	10,372	27,157	186,848	11,806	45,283
Average per farmdollars, 2007	22,774	79,488	13,237	41,938	441,734	284,571	38,105	52,839
.....2002	18,894	53,384	12,834	40,359	295,184	157,279	51,780	53,149
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchasedfarms, 2007	698	855	66	226	50	567	136	532
.....2002	736	865	62	149	73	410	143	530
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,006	4,100	78	495	6,508	6,537	983	3,062
.....2002	1,804	2,700	56	217	3,485	3,655	868	2,699
Chemicals purchasedfarms, 2007	402	556	34	156	50	477	88	416
.....2002	456	483	44	105	64	433	115	457
.....\$1,000, 2007	601	1,558	78	449	2,765	4,172	544	2,180
.....2002	534	1,062	12	90	2,338	3,140	729	2,255
Seeds, plants, vines, and treesfarms, 2007	399	385	32	114	44	345	101	390
.....2002	400	523	40	73	55	410	105	514
.....\$1,000, 2007	566	(D)	49	780	3,512	5,743	578	5,738
.....2002	533	824	19	827	2,212	3,180	515	2,011
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	197	304	9	57	1	414	39	105
.....2002	149	268	10	64	12	421	15	143
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,885	18,767	10	947	(D)	42,662	121	636
.....2002	1,044	9,804	(D)	187	948	23,842	23	439
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ²farms, 2007	106	142	4	24	-	143	15	61
.....2002	114	158	2	38	6	111	7	81
.....\$1,000, 2007	929	1,815	6	133	-	1,383	43	504
.....2002	327	529	(D)	55	(D)	382	10	(D)
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text)farms, 2007	121	203	5	39	1	318	26	56
.....2002	67	142	8	35	8	344	8	62
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,956	16,952	4	815	(D)	41,278	78	132
.....2002	717	9,275	15	133	(D)	23,460	14	(D)
Feed purchasedfarms, 2007	482	711	44	153	13	753	95	387
.....2002	469	723	42	163	24	900	112	475
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,194	40,524	102	1,513	(D)	180,920	327	3,064
.....2002	1,985	23,438	249	753	2,278	110,087	428	1,796
Gasoline, fuels, and oilsfarms, 2007	944	1,230	81	274	68	1,080	241	818
.....2002	890	1,202	76	247	90	1,135	215	700
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,427	5,490	100	833	1,838	8,372	1,339	4,118
.....2002	1,302	2,932	81	538	873	4,484	1,157	2,760
Utilities (see text)farms, 2007	477	580	22	127	33	608	110	395
.....2002	427	725	33	107	52	747	118	432
.....\$1,000, 2007	658	2,430	23	239	290	4,143	332	1,296
.....2002	498	1,639	10	385	580	6,493	483	1,383
Supplies, repairs, and maintenancefarms, 2007	894	1,155	73	255	63	1,004	225	762
.....2002	815	1,166	71	217	92	1,045	210	652
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,035	4,592	113	815	1,989	7,219	1,056	4,181
.....2002	2,458	4,803	193	1,165	2,221	7,696	1,198	4,297
Hired farm laborfarms, 2007	178	293	10	65	24	242	61	244
.....2002	283	377	15	72	43	285	72	370
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,780	(D)	414	2,662	(D)	12,346	1,782	8,165
.....2002	2,254	4,931	51	2,889	4,677	8,888	2,458	13,337
Contract laborfarms, 2007	63	89	5	25	10	88	18	88
.....2002	50	140	5	18	18	121	18	158
.....\$1,000, 2007	614	776	(D)	420	281	1,903	217	1,127
.....2002	97	1,016	(D)	28	438	1,214	210	973
Customwork and custom haulingfarms, 2007	61	104	6	27	22	126	21	78
.....2002	105	92	7	31	38	194	35	52
.....\$1,000, 2007	92	196	3	286	192	729	64	143
.....2002	155	255	1	133	399	560	50	120
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing feesfarms, 2007	101	216	7	62	30	218	47	176
.....2002	132	316	16	44	53	187	58	153
.....\$1,000, 2007	435	1,478	(D)	621	4,599	4,592	528	2,341
.....2002	1,360	4,071	20	251	3,401	3,152	1,195	4,503
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehiclesfarms, 2007	19	48	2	11	5	41	8	20
.....2002	30	51	-	12	15	29	15	28
.....\$1,000, 2007	63	123	(D)	61	270	259	21	52
.....2002	23	48	-	28	295	96	46	230
Interest expensefarms, 2007	198	318	6	51	29	260	54	193
.....2002	111	334	2	60	44	434	50	144
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,830	2,882	39	420	983	4,127	477	2,186
.....2002	856	5,035	(D)	258	992	3,626	539	1,610
Secured by real estatefarms, 2007	162	267	5	31	17	216	45	148
.....2002	88	257	2	58	24	333	34	102
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,143	2,455	(D)	335	648	3,498	371	1,738
.....2002	663	4,578	(D)	246	702	3,212	366	1,507
Not secured by real estatefarms, 2007	105	177	1	32	22	133	33	127
.....2002	64	154	1	13	31	173	39	51
.....\$1,000, 2007	687	426	(D)	84	335	629	106	448
.....2002	193	457	(D)	12	290	414	172	103
Property taxes paidfarms, 2007	908	1,148	66	243	65	1,024	231	716
.....2002	903	1,244	72	240	79	1,139	219	781
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,412	1,948	71	341	355	2,991	619	1,873
.....2002	1,341	1,736	169	451	385	2,166	500	2,417
All other production expenses (see text)farms, 2007	379	591	26	137	36	600	94	346
.....2002	479	626	30	107	44	691	99	425
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,335	7,965	32	819	1,497	28,306	387	3,536
.....2002	1,101	3,506	39	2,172	1,636	4,569	1,406	4,454
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹farms, 2007	352	520	15	99	35	430	79	337
.....2002	354	434	9	82	41	400	76	361
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,702	5,400	34	959	2,038	12,356	878	4,057
.....2002	1,577	3,990	32	1,564	1,701	7,672	1,052	2,955

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Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.

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Item	Warren	Washington	Watauga	Wayne	Wilkes	Wilson	Yadkin	Yancey
Total farm production expenses ¹ farms, 2007	294	187	587	723	1,095	304	990	447
..... 2002	299	194	736	721	1,275	313	1,050	618
..... \$1,000, 2007	22,284	56,730	8,564	369,759	293,548	104,770	80,463	5,294
..... 2002	23,823	41,097	6,733	243,872	157,209	55,897	53,835	6,559
Average per farm dollars, 2007	75,796	303,371	14,589	511,423	268,080	344,637	81,275	11,843
..... 2002	79,676	211,838	9,148	338,241	123,301	178,586	51,271	10,614
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased farms, 2007	155	116	390	501	538	209	704	307
..... 2002	186	144	616	516	659	212	776	394
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,335	7,461	636	11,910	1,311	9,128	5,477	478
..... 2002	1,890	4,805	599	5,899	931	4,691	3,510	314
Chemicals purchased farms, 2007	115	104	247	494	454	204	492	177
..... 2002	107	156	344	491	432	243	479	270
..... \$1,000, 2007	579	4,024	173	7,263	854	7,573	1,433	97
..... 2002	866	6,342	169	4,873	535	5,293	2,024	110
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees farms, 2007	110	101	177	384	219	188	293	111
..... 2002	91	144	207	398	292	213	469	218
..... \$1,000, 2007	869	4,068	450	5,577	677	10,771	1,600	127
..... 2002	263	3,410	183	3,273	204	3,005	1,124	206
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	52	22	115	257	425	23	261	69
..... 2002	94	36	140	307	513	20	231	55
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,066	(D)	1,226	86,639	51,518	7,252	18,803	178
..... 2002	704	1,528	852	61,582	24,496	2,610	7,430	445
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) ² farms, 2007	38	11	46	73	116	12	130	28
..... 2002	81	12	37	78	150	7	107	33
..... \$1,000, 2007	324	(D)	132	7,347	2,425	(D)	5,679	122
..... 2002	423	38	59	3,654	195	169	532	28
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) farms, 2007	24	14	82	207	342	12	148	47
..... 2002	32	24	103	243	392	13	129	32
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,742	(D)	1,094	79,292	49,094	(D)	13,124	56
..... 2002	281	1,490	792	57,927	24,301	2,441	6,898	417
Feed purchased farms, 2007	131	47	300	380	818	82	620	214
..... 2002	162	56	434	475	1,049	80	632	353
..... \$1,000, 2007	5,689	(D)	828	163,041	176,756	10,242	25,693	679
..... 2002	5,788	6,369	542	97,661	98,926	2,724	15,106	1,706
Gasoline, fuels, and oils farms, 2007	291	187	565	713	1,087	292	975	434
..... 2002	289	183	684	679	1,214	307	1,041	497
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,677	2,610	817	12,456	9,413	7,205	4,067	500
..... 2002	1,590	1,305	415	5,647	4,385	3,150	2,378	472
Utilities (see text) farms, 2007	120	72	199	443	526	167	474	131
..... 2002	159	147	198	504	722	143	617	217
..... \$1,000, 2007	729	588	185	5,758	3,514	2,979	1,876	95
..... 2002	726	553	174	5,137	3,172	1,659	1,346	153
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance farms, 2007	280	173	526	677	1,018	284	925	410
..... 2002	265	185	678	633	1,170	304	922	541
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,533	2,794	762	11,454	5,729	7,029	3,462	657
..... 2002	2,101	2,539	822	10,701	5,648	5,259	3,075	851
Hired farm labor farms, 2007	74	46	110	261	250	99	216	78
..... 2002	116	85	200	304	237	128	270	106
..... \$1,000, 2007	3,271	3,507	998	28,988	5,852	23,718	4,866	783
..... 2002	5,429	3,514	956	22,190	7,100	11,138	4,083	245
Contract labor farms, 2007	11	27	65	113	76	48	63	38
..... 2002	19	16	101	89	110	50	69	47
..... \$1,000, 2007	70	639	361	3,508	1,064	3,884	711	290
..... 2002	(D)	162	84	876	664	2,562	370	151
Customwork and custom hauling farms, 2007	33	37	36	123	77	41	115	21
..... 2002	31	57	32	115	78	66	172	8
..... \$1,000, 2007	165	1,325	(D)	792	364	483	528	29
..... 2002	141	1,660	30	1,816	172	236	417	10
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees farms, 2007	65	67	114	263	226	116	254	62
..... 2002	71	82	142	240	178	118	220	60
..... \$1,000, 2007	567	4,560	576	7,133	1,548	4,715	1,987	280
..... 2002	1,209	3,781	107	5,544	418	7,135	2,721	186
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles farms, 2007	6	8	6	55	27	32	35	8
..... 2002	5	26	46	61	45	29	60	10
..... \$1,000, 2007	30	101	(D)	701	136	593	206	2
..... 2002	(D)	379	8	2,047	33	483	1,864	150
Interest expense farms, 2007	62	62	106	192	294	107	245	66
..... 2002	90	99	107	207	353	100	234	21
..... \$1,000, 2007	953	1,659	404	7,812	4,745	2,538	3,507	372
..... 2002	519	2,300	352	6,123	2,900	2,170	4,566	137
Secured by real estate farms, 2007	49	55	65	141	267	75	193	52
..... 2002	79	79	48	180	302	84	215	20
..... \$1,000, 2007	694	1,155	239	2,505	4,431	1,284	3,141	273
..... 2002	468	1,715	240	2,690	2,594	1,315	3,127	100
Not secured by real estate farms, 2007	46	34	77	119	135	62	118	44
..... 2002	17	43	60	87	132	43	130	21
..... \$1,000, 2007	259	504	164	5,307	315	1,255	366	99
..... 2002	51	585	112	3,433	305	854	1,439	37
Property taxes paid farms, 2007	268	159	542	646	1,025	283	899	393
..... 2002	290	184	631	681	1,195	287	1,024	577
..... \$1,000, 2007	698	602	656	2,773	2,410	1,394	1,807	539
..... 2002	778	815	818	1,775	2,049	852	1,558	629
All other production expenses (see text) farms, 2007	115	86	231	403	609	140	439	113
..... 2002	143	142	365	418	695	154	521	131
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,054	4,510	448	13,954	27,657	5,265	4,441	187
..... 2002	1,562	1,635	623	8,728	5,577	2,929	2,262	795
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) ¹ farms, 2007	101	88	198	292	515	128	361	150
..... 2002	102	107	166	301	431	122	334	101
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,140	3,640	1,188	11,780	9,042	4,996	5,663	742
..... 2002	1,764	3,032	577	11,116	6,408	4,564	4,536	967

¹ 2002 data are based on a sample of farms.

² 2002 data do not include breeding livestock leased.