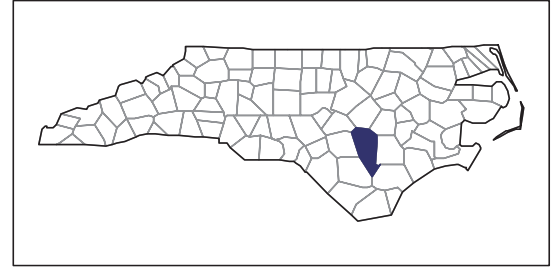


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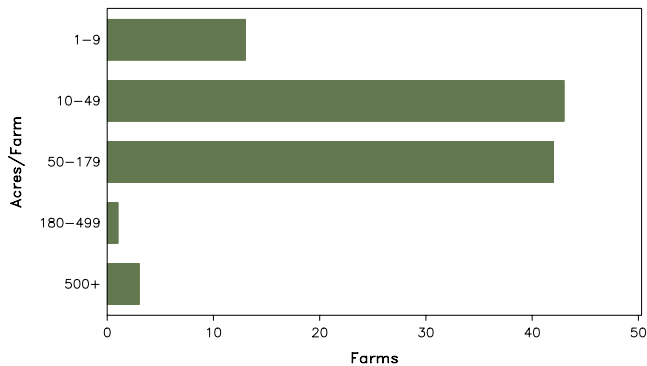
Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	102	1,203
Land in Farms	14,392 acres	321,454 acres
Average Size of Farm	141 acres	267 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$48,260,000	\$1,196,332,000
Crop Sales	\$276,000	\$150,109,000
Livestock Sales	\$47,984,000	\$1,046,223,000
Average Per Farm	\$473,140	\$994,457
Government Payments	\$47,000	\$6,793,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$1,333	\$11,081

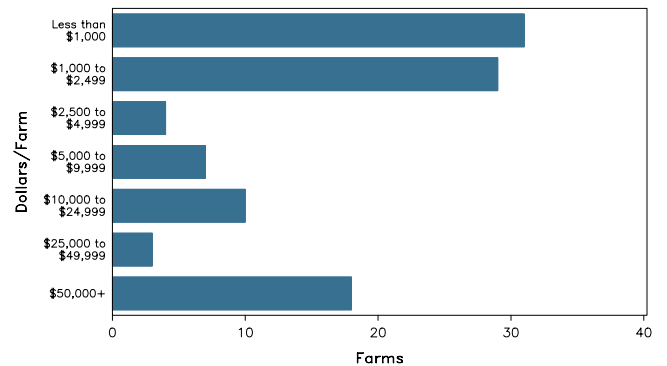
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Farms with Women Principal Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Sampson County – North Carolina Farms with Women Principal Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	102	48,260
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	34	276
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	49	47,984
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	18	106
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	1	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	5	79
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	3	(D)
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	11	42
Poultry and eggs	13	(D)
Cattle and calves	23	119
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	11	13,284
Sheep, goats, and their products	7	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	12	42
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	-	-
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	25	510
Corn for grain	6	231
Soybeans for beans	8	182
Cotton, all	1	(D)
Barley for grain	6	54
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1	(D)
Turkeys	9	189,696
Pullets for laying flock replacement	4	(D)
Layers	7	(D)
Hogs and pigs	15	44,312

Operator Characteristics

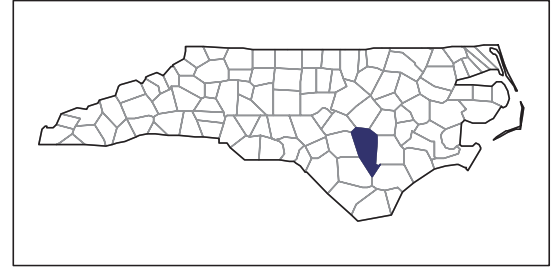
Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	30
Other	72
Days worked off farm:	
None	18
Any	84
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	4
3 to 4 years	16
5 to 9 years	32
10 years or more	50
Age group:	
Under 45 years	24
45 to 64 years	56
65 years and over	22
Average age of principal operator (years)	54.8

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	42
\$1,000 to \$2,499	19
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8
\$10,000 to \$49,999	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	18
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	42,258
Average per farm (\$)	414,298
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	6,267
Average per farm (\$)	61,436
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	26
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	4
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	218

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms

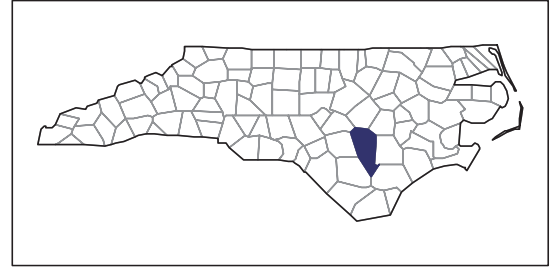
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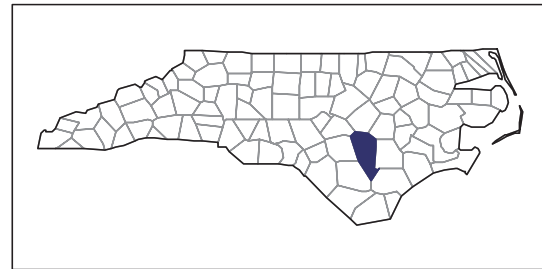
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**Farms with Asian Operators
Compared with All Farms**

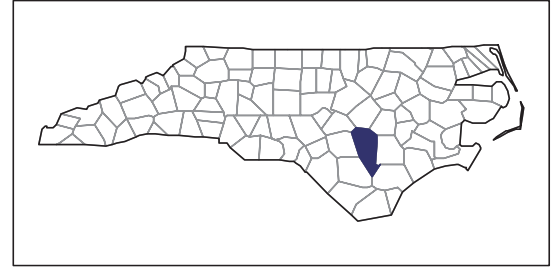
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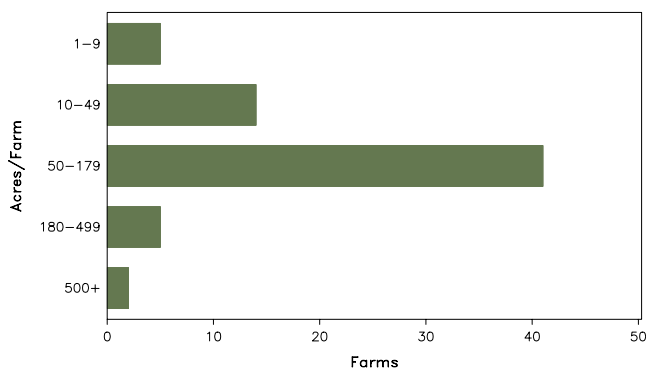
Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms

	Black or African American Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	84	1,652
Number of Farms	67	1,203
Land in Farms	7,020 acres	321,454 acres
Average Size of Farm	105 acres	267 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$10,414,000	\$1,196,332,000
Crop Sales	\$3,462,000	\$150,109,000
Livestock Sales	\$6,952,000	\$1,046,223,000
Average Per Farm	\$155,436	\$994,457
Government Payments	\$153,000	\$6,793,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,488	\$11,081

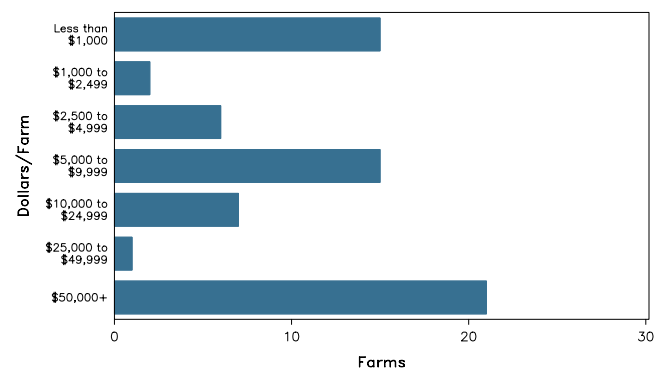
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Farms with Black or African American Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Sampson County – North Carolina Farms with Black or African American Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	67	10,414
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	51	3,462
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	17	6,952
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	33	338
Tobacco	12	2,152
Cotton and cottonseed	3	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	12	778
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	4	(D)
Poultry and eggs	1	(D)
Cattle and calves	10	12
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	8	6,937
Sheep, goats, and their products	7	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	-	-
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Soybeans for beans	22	1,519
Tobacco	12	1,008
Cotton, all	3	(D)
Corn for grain	15	376
Vegetables harvested for sale	12	286
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Hogs and pigs	8	21,043
Sheep and lambs	6	450
Cattle and calves	12	193
Layers	4	21
Horses and ponies	3	12

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	53
Other	31
Days worked off farm:	
None	25
Any	59
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	11
3 to 4 years	1
5 to 9 years	22
10 years or more	50
Age group:	
Under 45 years	14
45 to 64 years	44
65 years and over	26
Average age (years)	56.4

Economic Characteristics

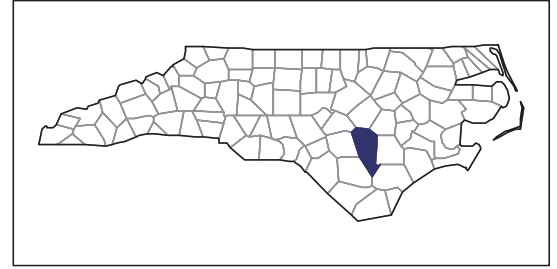
Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	19
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16
\$10,000 to \$49,999	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1
\$500,000 or more	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,720
Average per farm (\$)	145,076
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,039
Average per farm (\$)	15,503
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	191

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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms

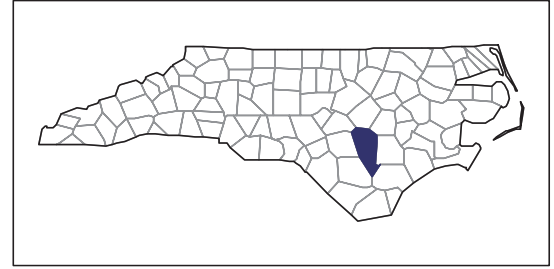
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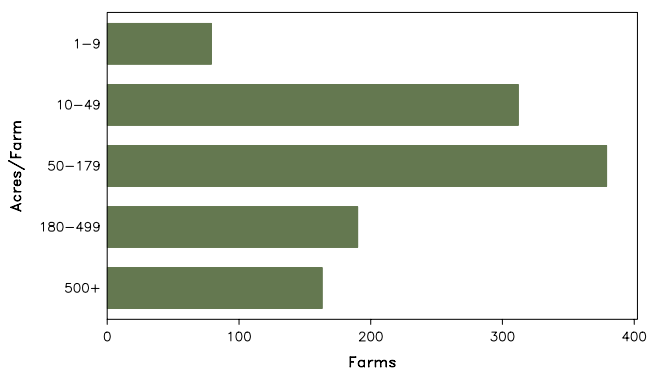
Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms

	White Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	1,541	1,652
Number of Farms	1,123	1,203
Land in Farms	313,059 acres	321,454 acres
Average Size of Farm	279 acres	267 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,189,987,000	\$1,196,332,000
Crop Sales	\$146,722,000	\$150,109,000
Livestock Sales	\$1,043,264,000	\$1,046,223,000
Average Per Farm	\$1,059,650	\$994,457
Government Payments	\$6,648,000	\$6,793,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$11,786	\$11,081

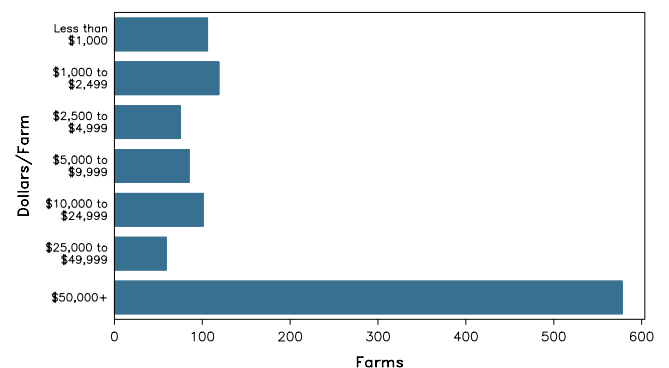
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Farms with White Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Sampson County – North Carolina Farms with White Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,123	1,189,987
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	676	146,722
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	682	1,043,264
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	496	24,267
Tobacco	106	30,841
Cotton and cottonseed	74	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	110	67,415
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	27	2,739
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	19	9,791
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	176	(D)
Poultry and eggs	221	(D)
Cattle and calves	286	7,750
Milk and other dairy products from cows	1	(D)
Hogs and pigs	306	648,758
Sheep, goats, and their products	49	109
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	41	229
Aquaculture	4	6
Other animals and other animal products	6	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Soybeans for beans	380	50,039
Corn for grain	339	47,245
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	357	28,710
Cotton, all	74	(D)
Wheat for grain, all	152	19,804
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	43	5,817,549
Turkeys	130	4,571,004
Hogs and pigs	311	2,146,089
Layers	40	418,927
Pullets for laying flock replacement	11	328,965

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	860
Other	681
Days worked off farm:	
None	616
Any	925
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	86
3 to 4 years	118
5 to 9 years	208
10 years or more	1,129
Age group:	
Under 45 years	425
45 to 64 years	775
65 years and over	341
Average age (years)	53.6

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	154
\$1,000 to \$2,499	90
\$2,500 to \$4,999	71
\$5,000 to \$9,999	99
\$10,000 to \$49,999	142
\$50,000 to \$99,999	51
\$100,000 to \$249,999	28
\$250,000 to \$499,999	51
\$500,000 or more	437
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	944,530
Average per farm (\$)	841,077
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	262,052
Average per farm (\$)	233,350
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	(D)
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	9,948

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