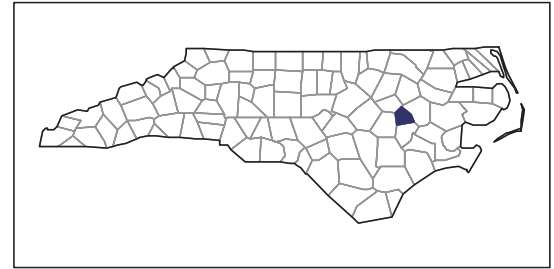


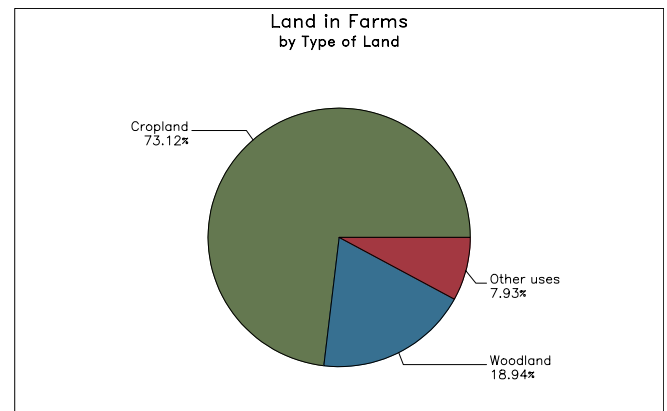
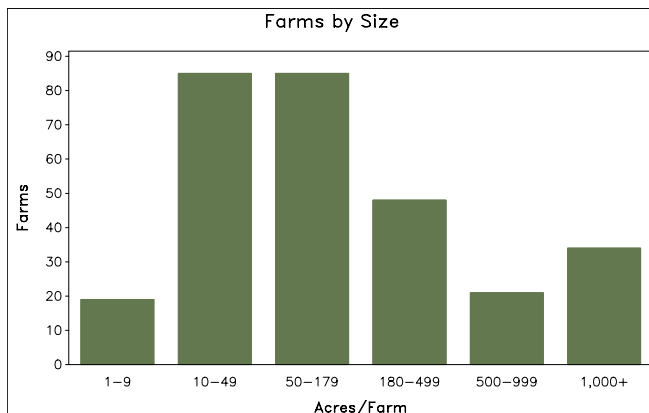
# 2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## County Profile



## Greene County North Carolina

	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	292	271	+ 8
<b>Land in Farms</b>	92,176 acres	97,857 acres	- 6
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	316 acres	361 acres	- 12
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$200,267,000	\$158,913,000	+ 26
Crop Sales \$38,481,000 (19 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$161,786,000 (81 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$685,846	\$586,396	+ 17
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$2,894,000	\$1,621,000	+ 79
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,231	\$11,744	+ 30



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#### Ranked items among the 100 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	200,267	11	100	319	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	38,481	23	100	1,060	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	161,786	11	99	178	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	11,238	21	99	1,189	2,933
Tobacco	15,938	12	77	17	437
Cotton and cottonseed	6,743	11	53	160	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	3,143	26	99	452	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	98	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	84	93	95	2,084	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	53	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	18	100	1,260	3,054
Poultry and eggs	34,219	30	99	289	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	84	98	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	62	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	126,573	5	89	20	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	26	63	98	2,115	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	14	84	96	2,778	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	13	60	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	91	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Soybeans for beans	22,986	23	90	790	2,039
Corn for grain	14,937	23	99	1,040	2,634
Cotton, all	14,399	14	54	185	627
Wheat for grain, all	6,408	22	84	883	2,481
Tobacco	5,107	12	77	15	437
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Turkeys	492,917	8	75	62	2,371
Hogs and pigs	411,971	5	93	26	2,958
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	335,000	43	75	434	2,476
Layers	(D)	(D)	99	(D)	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	31	83	(D)	2,627

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	60	Farming	169
\$1,000 to \$2,499	19	Other	123
\$2,500 to \$4,999	7	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	Male	273
\$10,000 to \$19,999	21	Female	19
\$20,000 to \$24,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	13	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12	Black or African American	12
\$250,000 to \$499,999	30	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	85	White	375
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	167,965	More than one race	8
Average per farm (\$)	575,224	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	38,973		
Average per farm (\$)	133,468		

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

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. <sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.