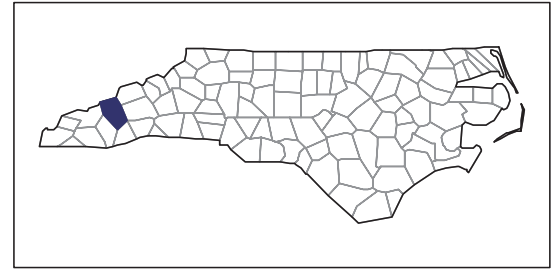


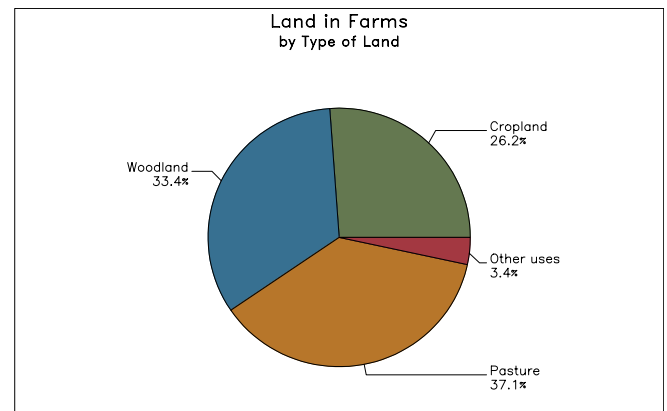
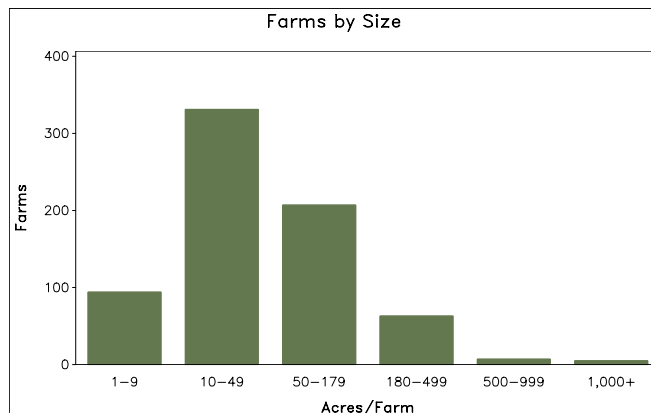
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile



Haywood County North Carolina

	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	707	795	- 11
Land in Farms	56,212 acres	64,611 acres	- 13
Average Size of Farm	80 acres	81 acres	- 1
Market Value of Products Sold	\$15,521,000	\$12,259,000	+ 27
Crop Sales \$5,891,000 (38 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$9,630,000 (62 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$21,953	\$15,420	+ 42
Government Payments	\$155,000	\$293,000	- 47
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$2,090	\$3,117	- 33



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Haywood County – North Carolina

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	15,521	82	100	2,397	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	5,891	84	100	2,160	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	9,630	66	99	2,071	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	163	85	99	2,384	2,933
Tobacco	264	61	77	287	437
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	53	-	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,018	32	99	583	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	8	98	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1,790	53	95	850	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	286	8	53	177	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	69	100	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	25	78	99	2,023	3,020
Cattle and calves	4,364	24	98	1,793	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	3,871	13	62	812	2,493
Hogs and pigs	10	72	89	2,269	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	138	12	98	866	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	96	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	8	60	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	7	67	91	2,168	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	7,323	36	100	1,998	3,060
Corn for silage	1,764	8	79	707	2,263
Vegetables harvested for sale	432	44	99	762	2,794
Corn for grain	200	85	99	2,221	2,634
Tomatoes in the open	167	5	90	112	2,368
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	14,519	17	98	1,689	3,060
Goats, all	1,878	19	99	324	3,023
Horses and ponies	1,279	23	98	1,066	3,066
Layers	817	66	99	1,798	3,024
Sheep and lambs	757	11	91	1,127	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	214	Farming	263
\$1,000 to \$2,499	124	Other	444
\$2,500 to \$4,999	92		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	72	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	92	Male	629
\$20,000 to \$24,999	22	Female	78
\$25,000 to \$39,999	25		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	13	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	25		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	16	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	5	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	15,759	Black or African American	-
Average per farm (\$)	22,290	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	962
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,562	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	2,209	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4

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.

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