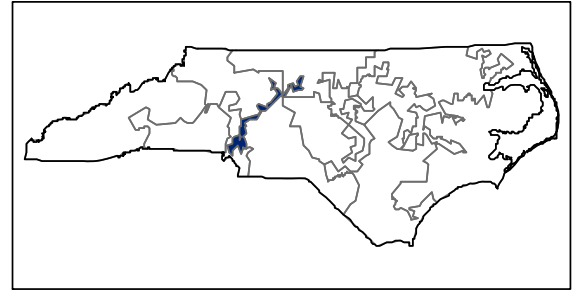


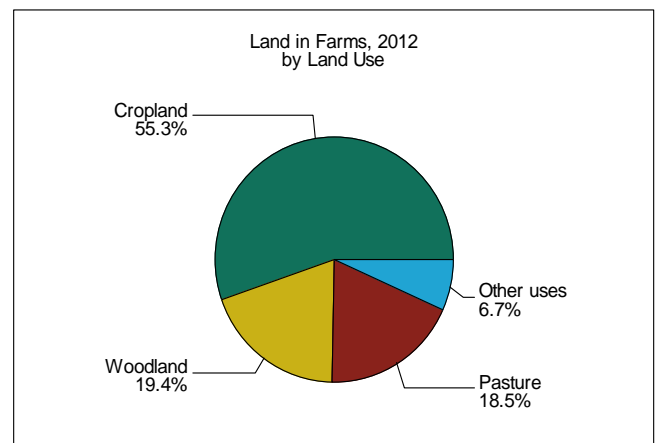
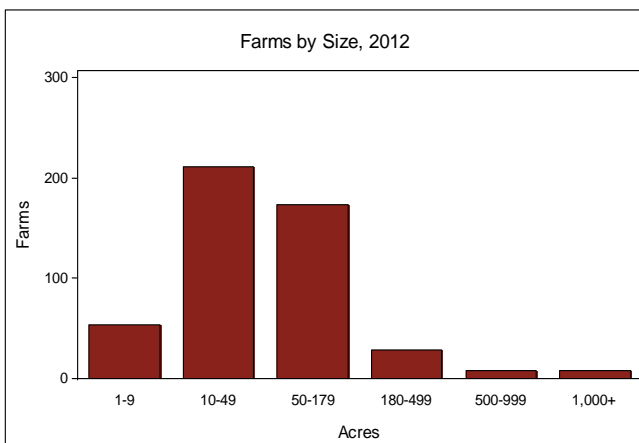
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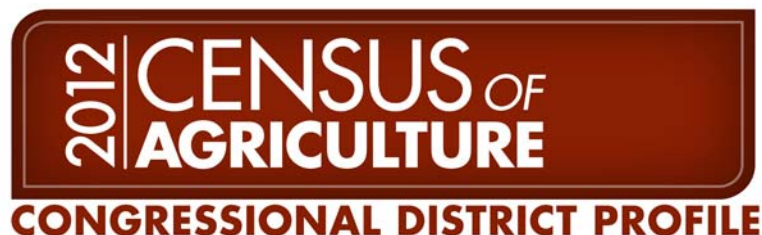
CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



North Carolina 12th District

	2012
Number of Farm Operators	729
Number of Farms	483
Land in Farms	49,775 acres
Average Size of Farm	103 acres
Irrigated Land	918 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$36,733,000
Average Per Farm	\$76,052
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$2,520,000
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Government Payments	\$289,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,849





2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

North Carolina 12th District

Ranked items among the 13 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

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	36,733	13	13	326	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	26,343	13	13	321	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,389	13	13	297	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	11,780	12	13	224	387
Tobacco	(D)	10	13	42	100
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	10	12	94	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	4,620	11	13	234	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,628	10	13	250	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	5,739	13	13	336	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	9	11	13	289	332
Other crops and hay	809	13	13	307	398
Poultry and eggs	(D)	13	13	(D)	405
Cattle and calves	(D)	13	13	(D)	393
Milk from cows	474	12	12	291	310
Hogs and pigs	59	12	13	278	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	135	12	13	283	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	13	13	(D)	402
Aquaculture	(D)	13	13	334	336
Other animals and other animal products	110	12	13	320	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	8,939	12	13	170	276
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	8,105	13	13	269	401
Corn for grain	5,435	13	13	218	356
Wheat for grain, all	3,873	12	13	203	324
Winter wheat for grain	3,873	12	13	195	317
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	13	13	114	365
Layers	171,140	11	13	164	405
Cattle and calves	6,933	13	13	289	397
Goats, all	1,520	12	13	249	397
Quail	(D)	11	13	(D)	280

Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	116	Farming	239
\$1,000 to \$2,499	77	Other	244
\$2,500 to \$4,999	73	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	70	Male	429
\$10,000 to \$19,999	47	Female	54
\$20,000 to \$24,999	16	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.1
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	2	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	22	Asian	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12	Black or African American	14
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	14	White	710
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	28,831	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	59,691	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	8
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	10,711		
Average per farm (\$)	22,176		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

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