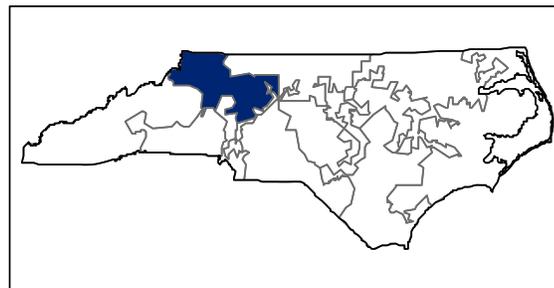


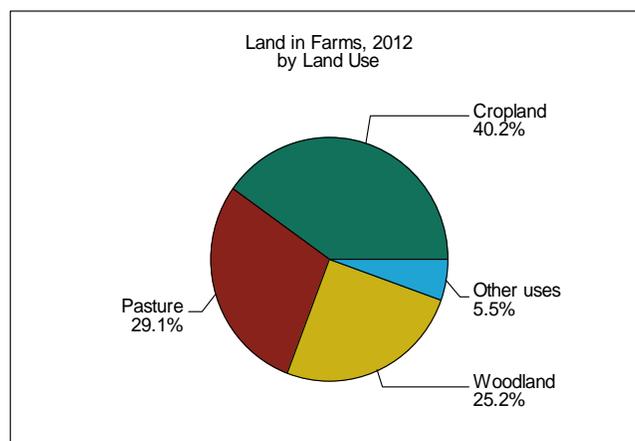
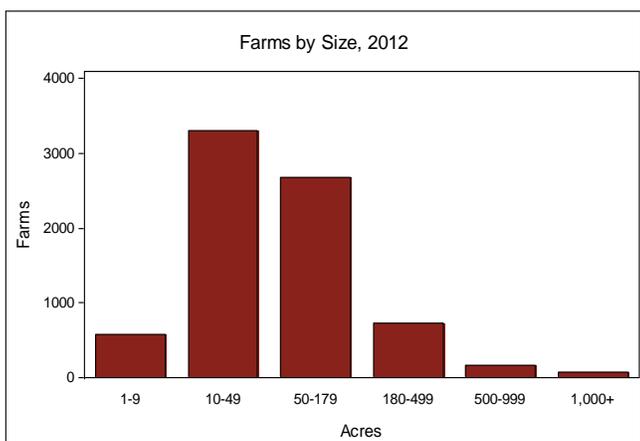
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE



North Carolina 5th District

	2012
Number of Farm Operators	11,231
Number of Farms	7,523
Land in Farms	782,829 acres
Average Size of Farm	104 acres
Irrigated Land	3,009 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$863,937,000
Average Per Farm	\$114,839
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$20,853,000
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Government Payments	\$4,295,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$3,873



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CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

North Carolina 5th 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	863,937	6	13	119	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	195,431	7	13	173	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	668,506	5	13	70	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	78,162	6	13	137	387
Tobacco	27,906	7	13	14	100
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	9	12	93	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	9,393	8	13	167	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	5	13	(D)	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	16,206	10	13	219	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	47,947	1	13	2	332
Other crops and hay	11,233	6	13	177	398
Poultry and eggs	502,614	3	13	20	405
Cattle and calves	99,049	1	13	97	393
Milk from cows	56,477	1	12	108	310
Hogs and pigs	(D)	9	13	117	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	2	13	(D)	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,845	3	13	133	402
Aquaculture	(D)	8	13	(D)	336
Other animals and other animal products	1,746	2	13	132	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	119,018	1	13	109	401
Soybeans for beans	57,998	6	13	108	276
Corn for grain	41,175	5	13	134	356
Cut Christmas trees	27,239	1	13	2	330
Wheat for grain, all	23,900	7	13	112	324
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	17,895,779	4	13	26	365
Layers	2,623,483	2	13	36	405
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2,068,543	1	13	11	361
Roosters	302,437	1	13	5	333
Cattle and calves	194,183	1	13	102	397

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	1,846	Farming	3,576
\$1,000 to \$2,499	870	Other	3,947
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,027	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,105	Male	6,656
\$10,000 to \$19,999	784	Female	867
\$20,000 to \$24,999	213	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	368	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	119	American Indian or Alaska Native	26
\$50,000 to \$99,999	304	Asian	13
\$100,000 to \$249,999	233	Black or African American	68
\$250,000 to \$499,999	225	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	429	White	10,877
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	747,923	More than one race	34
Average per farm (\$)	99,418	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	128
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	141,162		
Average per farm (\$)	18,779		

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.