

Milk Cows County Estimates



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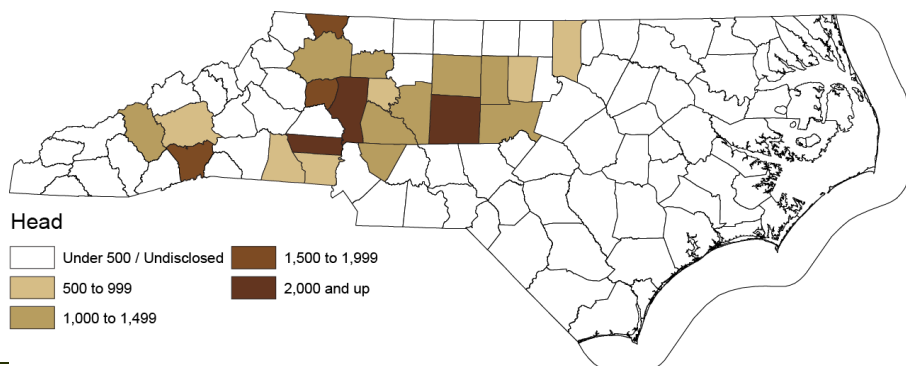
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Number on Farms, January 1

Counties	2016	2017	Counties	2016	2017
	(Head)			(Head)	
Alamance	1,200	1,200	Johnston	*	*
Alexander	1,600	1,500	Jones	*	*
Alleghany	1,700	1,600	Lee	*	*
Anson	*	*	Lenoir	*	*
Ashe	100	100	Lincoln	2,900	2,800
Avery	*	*	McDowell	(D)	(D)
Beaufort	*	*	Macon	*	*
Bertie	*	*	Madison	*	*
Bladen	*	*	Martin	*	*
Brunswick	*	*	Mecklenburg	*	*
Buncombe	900	800	Mitchell	*	*
Burke	*	*	Montgomery	*	*
Cabarrus	1200	1200	Moore	*	*
Caldwell	*	*	Nash	*	*
Camden	*	*	New Hanover	*	*
Carteret	*	*	Northampton	*	*
Caswell	(D)	(D)	Onslow	*	*
Catawba	400	400	Orange	800	700
Chatham	1,200	1,100	Pamlico	*	*
Cherokee	*	*	Pasquotank	*	*
Chowan	*	*	Pender	*	*
Clay	*	*	Perquimans	*	*
Cleveland	600	600	Person	(D)	(D)
Columbus	*	*	Pitt	*	*
Craven	*	*	Polk	*	*
Cumberland	*	*	Randolph	4,700	4,500
Currituck	*	*	Richmond	*	*
Dare	*	*	Robeson	*	*
Davidson	1,500	1,400	Rockingham	(D)	(D)
Davie	500	500	Rowan	1,400	1,400
Duplin	100	100	Rutherford	*	*
Durham	100	100	Sampson	(D)	(D)
Edgecombe	*	*	Scotland	*	*
Forsyth	*	*	Stanly	(D)	(D)
Franklin	*	*	Stokes	*	*
Gaston	700	700	Surry	(D)	(D)
Gates	*	*	Swain	*	*
Graham	*	*	Transylvania	*	*
Granville	500	500	Tyrrell	*	*
Greene	*	*	Union	*	*
Guilford	1,500	1,400	Vance	*	*
Halifax	(D)	(D)	Wake	*	*
Harnett	*	*	Warren	*	*
Haywood	1,200	1,100	Washington	*	*
Henderson	1,600	1,500	Watauga	*	*
Hertford	*	*	Wayne	(D)	(D)
Hoke	*	*	Wilkes	1,200	1,200
Hyde	*	*	Wilson	*	*
Iredell	13,400	13,000	Yadkin	1,400	1,300
Jackson	*	*	Yancey	200	100
			Other Counties	4,400	4,200
			State Total	47,000	45,000

* Less than 100 Head. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

January 1, 2017 Number on Farms



Leading Counties ¹	Head
Iredell	13,000
Randolph	4,500
Lincoln	2,800
Alleghany	1,600
Alexander ²	1,500
Henderson ²	1,500
Davidson ³	1,400
Guilford ³	1,400
Rowan ³	1,400
Yadkin	1,300

¹ Ranking of published counties only

² Ranked 5th ³ Ranked 7th