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| SIZE OF FARMS NC / SC 18601 |
| **Acres** | **Number of farms** | **% of total** |
| 3 and under 10 | 2,050 | 3 |
| 10 and under 20 | 4,879 | 7 |
| 20 and under 50 | 20,882 | 31 |
| 50 and under 100 | 18,496 | 28 |
| 100 and under 500 | 19,220 | 29 |
| 500 and under 1,000 | 1,184 | 2 |
| 1,000 and over | 311 | 1 |
| **Total** | **67,022** | **100** |
| SLAVE POPULATION[3](http://www.learnnc.org/lp/editions/nchist-antebellum/5347#note3) |
| **Year** | **Slave population** | **Total population** | **% enslaved** |
| 1790 | 100,572 | 393,751 | 25.5% |
| 1850 | 288,548 | 869,039 | 33.2% |
| 1860 | 331,059 | 992,622 | 33.3% |

| SLAVEHOLDING FAMILIES[4](http://www.learnnc.org/lp/editions/nchist-antebellum/5347#note4) |
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| **Year** | **Percent slaveholding** |
| 1790 | 31 |
| 1850 | 27 |
| 1860 | 28 |

| SLAVE OWNERSHIP, 1790–1860[5](http://www.learnnc.org/lp/editions/nchist-antebellum/5347#note5) |
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| **Number of Slaves** | **Number of Slaveholders** |
| **1790** | **1850** | **1860** |
| **Number** | **Percent** | **Number** | **Percent** | **Number** | **Percent** |
| 1 | 4,040 | 27 | 1,204 | 4 | 6,440 | 19 |
| 2–4 | 4,959 | 33 | 9,668 | 34 | 9,631 | 28 |
| 5–9 | 3,375 | 23 | 8,129 | 29 | 8,449 | 24 |
| 10-19 | 1,788 | 12 | 5,898 | 21 | 6,073 | 18 |
| 20–49 | 701 | 5 | 2,828 | 10 | 3,321 | 10 |
| 50–99 | 90 | 1 | 485 | 2 | 611 | 2 |
| 100–199 | 11 | 0 | 76 | 0 | 118 | 0 |
| 200–299 | 2 | <0.1 | 12 | <0.1 | 11 | <0.1 |
| 300–499 | 0 | <0.1 | 3 | <0.1 | 4 | <0.1 |
| **Total** | **14,966** | **100** | **28,303** | **100** | **34,658** | **100** |