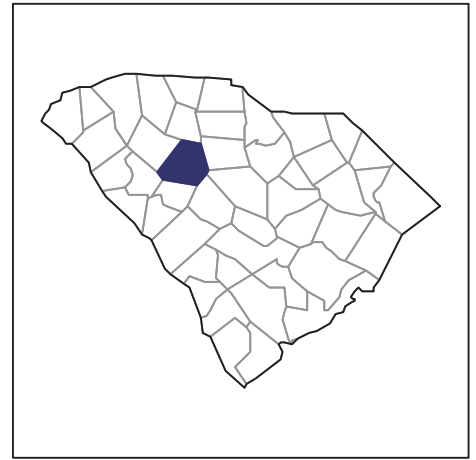


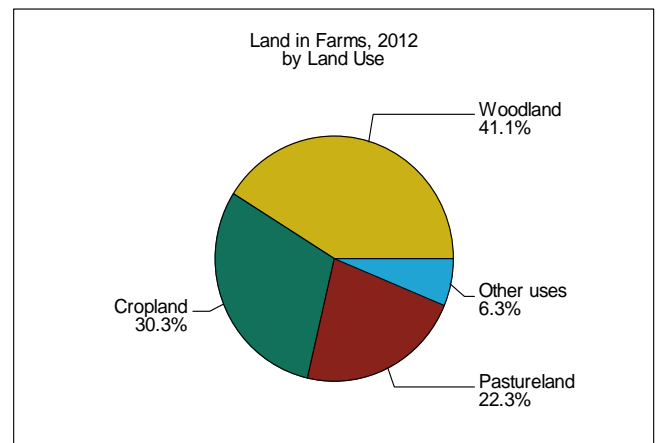
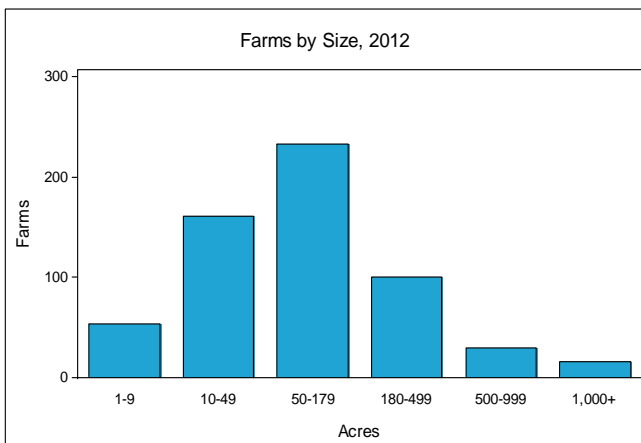
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Newberry County South Carolina

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	594	614	- 3
Land in Farms	104,493 acres	100,796 acres	+ 4
Average Size of Farm	176 acres	164 acres	+ 7
Market Value of Products Sold	\$139,525,000	\$99,467,000	+ 40
Crop Sales (D)			
Livestock Sales (D)			
Average Per Farm	\$234,890	\$161,999	+ 45
Government Payments	\$1,004,000	\$607,000	+ 65
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,605	\$4,596	+ 65





Newberry County – South Carolina

Ranked items among the 46 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 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	139,525	5	46	854	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	(D)	34	46	(D)	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	(D)	2	46	330	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4,052	22	46	1,821	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	15	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	28	32	(D)	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	115	43	46	1,787	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	309	23	45	889	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	417	38	44	1,435	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	37	17	33	565	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,958	25	46	1,356	3,049
Poultry and eggs	109,050	4	46	109	3,013
Cattle and calves	5,055	5	46	1,810	3,056
Milk from cows	16,362	1	21	375	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	11	45	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	79	12	46	1,559	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	13	46	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	35	8	22	787	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	17	23	45	1,974	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	15,525	5	46	1,217	3,057
Wheat for grain, all	3,729	15	44	1,102	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	3,729	15	44	1,026	2,480
Sorghum for silage	3,560	1	19	23	1,076
Soybeans for beans	2,931	20	42	1,418	2,162
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	2,160,813	7	44	203	2,723
Layers	(D)	2	46	(D)	3,040
Turkeys	338,607	8	42	75	2,416
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	2,637
Cattle and calves	18,292	3	46	1,433	3,063

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	168	Farming	231
\$1,000 to \$2,499	77	Other	363
\$2,500 to \$4,999	71		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	93	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	73	Male	527
\$20,000 to \$24,999	14	Female	67
\$25,000 to \$39,999	25		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	15	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	3	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	37	Asian	4
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	110,589	Black or African American	30
Average per farm (\$)	186,176	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	820
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	31,546	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	53,107	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	1

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