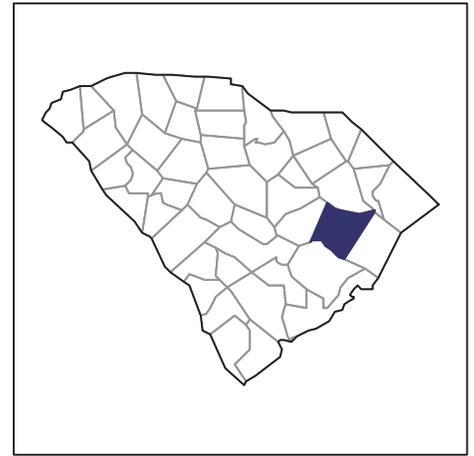


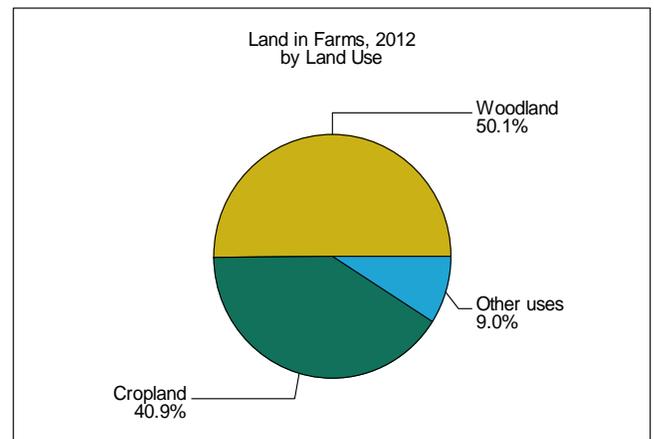
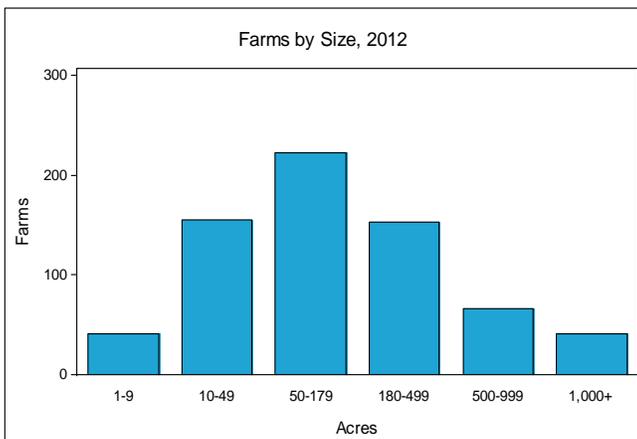
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

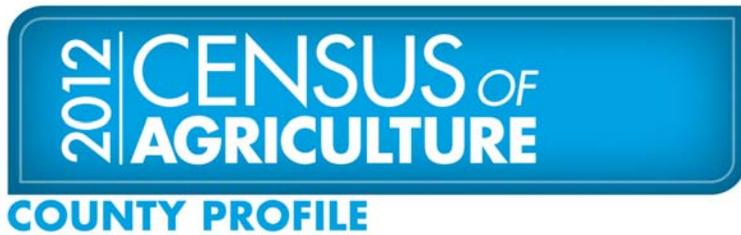
COUNTY PROFILE



Williamsburg County South Carolina

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	679	861	- 21
Land in Farms	224,437 acres	209,402 acres	+ 7
Average Size of Farm	331 acres	243 acres	+ 36
Market Value of Products Sold	\$61,811,000	\$42,449,000	+ 46
Crop Sales \$51,412,000 (83 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$10,400,000 (17 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$91,032	\$49,302	+ 85
Government Payments	\$2,763,000	\$3,738,000	- 26
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$6,772	\$7,416	- 9





Williamsburg 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	61,811	20	46	1,617	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	51,412	9	46	1,143	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	10,400	31	46	2,076	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	23,623	9	46	1,165	2,926
Tobacco	4,618	4	15	81	436
Cotton and cottonseed	16,638	4	32	107	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	17	46	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	45	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	44	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	33	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	3,770	16	46	785	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	31	46	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	5,427	6	45	543	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	26	30	46	2,314	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	8	45	46	2,854	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	2	41	45	2,706	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	25,238	7	42	851	2,162
Cotton, all	24,130	4	32	114	635
Upland cotton	24,130	4	32	111	635
Corn for grain	13,613	9	46	1,102	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	5,079	13	44	971	2,537
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	25	44	(D)	2,723
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	46	(D)	2,889
Cattle and calves	2,900	32	46	2,621	3,063
Layers	2,653	25	46	1,109	3,040
Pullets for laying flock replacement	657	16	40	644	2,637

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	326	Farming	260
\$1,000 to \$2,499	24	Other	419
\$2,500 to \$4,999	49		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	77	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	Male	574
\$20,000 to \$24,999	21	Female	105
\$25,000 to \$39,999	20		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	9	Average age of principal operator (years)	62.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	18		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	32	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	24	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$500,000 or more	31	Asian	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	56,028	Black or African American	187
Average per farm (\$)	82,515	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	762
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	13,305	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	19,595	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	4

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.