

**Table 57. New and Beginning Producers: 2017**

[Data were collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text.]

Geographic area	All farms with a new and beginning producer			Farms with a new and beginning principal producer		
	Farms	New and beginning producers	Land in farms (acres)	Farms	New and beginning principal producers	Land in farms (acres)
<b>State Total</b>						
South Carolina .....	7,465	11,323	1,036,309	6,622	8,670	842,039
<b>Counties</b>						
Abbeville .....	185	263	16,579	158	205	14,591
Aiken .....	378	586	28,619	321	438	18,567
Allendale .....	44	60	29,852	40	46	28,518
Anderson .....	510	783	45,061	469	635	40,398
Barnberg .....	93	129	27,608	81	107	23,335
Barnwell .....	107	148	11,710	100	112	10,737
Beaufort .....	56	118	7,047	52	82	7,043
Berkeley .....	106	149	25,995	100	107	25,237
Calhoun .....	151	233	38,913	129	142	34,513
Charleston .....	164	247	7,438	148	184	6,501
Cherokee .....	118	184	15,219	102	142	14,290
Chester .....	145	211	16,300	124	155	10,482
Chesterfield .....	184	270	29,674	167	211	27,874
Clarendon .....	134	192	43,705	114	141	39,091
Colleton .....	136	204	19,888	129	163	13,883
Darlington .....	96	148	24,667	92	113	20,552
Dillon .....	43	67	17,590	38	45	7,042
Dorchester .....	123	178	5,324	114	135	3,459
Edgefield .....	128	219	16,863	110	180	8,653
Fairfield .....	77	106	25,229	71	86	22,649
Florence .....	123	169	22,360	107	128	20,526
Georgetown .....	56	95	50,340	53	82	49,312
Greenville .....	356	560	12,612	330	441	9,711
Greenwood .....	140	213	15,225	121	147	12,062
Hampton .....	34	53	11,459	28	39	7,496
Horry .....	201	261	31,128	158	195	15,354
Jasper .....	41	67	6,936	36	38	6,803
Kershaw .....	160	241	23,377	139	190	20,703
Lancaster .....	166	269	14,750	149	206	13,220
Laurens .....	280	445	27,740	255	348	23,289
Lee .....	64	80	19,804	56	67	12,564
Lexington .....	275	410	18,212	239	286	14,018
McCormick .....	26	49	4,075	21	27	3,418
Marion .....	66	86	5,040	56	65	2,783
Marlboro .....	62	82	10,111	48	63	9,755
Newberry .....	224	340	18,611	195	234	13,413
Oconee .....	249	377	13,664	217	288	10,675
Orangeburg .....	213	307	55,915	191	258	47,000
Pickens .....	241	379	10,638	217	274	8,543
Richland .....	128	198	9,376	110	159	4,208
Saluda .....	178	277	19,640	153	213	12,549
Spartanburg .....	483	768	28,648	437	628	22,668
Sumter .....	164	228	59,574	150	180	51,295
Union .....	87	138	17,017	72	104	11,909
Williamsburg .....	151	230	39,032	125	158	25,493
York .....	319	506	37,744	300	423	35,857