



Greenwood County South Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	466	-2
Land in farms (acres)	72,274	-15
Average size of farm (acres)	155	-14
Total (\$)		
Market value of products sold	9,768,000	+46
Government payments	367,000	+18
Farm-related income	1,681,000	+96
Total farm production expenses	10,299,000	+11
Net cash farm income	1,517,000	+206
Per farm average (\$)		
Market value of products sold	20,961	+49
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	5,739	-2
Farm-related income	13,781	+72
Total farm production expenses	22,101	+13
Net cash farm income	3,256	+208

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	18
Livestock, poultry, and products	82

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	21
Pastureland	27
Woodland	48
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 237

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	6
Reduced till	2
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	7

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	220	47
\$2,500 to \$4,999	74	16
\$5,000 to \$9,999	69	15
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	12
\$25,000 to \$49,999	26	6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	3
\$100,000 or more	8	2

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	59	13
10 to 49 acres	147	32
50 to 179 acres	163	35
180 to 499 acres	65	14
500 to 999 acres	27	6
1,000 + acres	5	1

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	9,768	41	46	2,670	3,077
Crops	1,721	42	46	2,714	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	31	-	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	110	38	46	1,520	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	84	29	45	1,356	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	571	31	41	1,005	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	(D)	20	31	(D)	1,384
Other crops and hay	912	32	46	1,965	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	8,047	32	46	2,233	3,073
Poultry and eggs	3,416	32	45	664	3,007
Cattle and calves	3,919	8	46	1,830	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	26	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	14	25	44	1,478	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	1	46	359	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	219	13	46	896	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	45	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c

Sex	764
Male	499
Female	265
Age	
<35	40
35 – 64	444
65 and older	280
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	1
Black or African American	53
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	704
More than one race	6
Other characteristics	
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	6
With military service	96
New and beginning farmers	213

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	80
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	5
Hire farm labor	14
Are family farms	95

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	10,304
Nursery stock crops	(D)
Corn for grain	64
Pecans, all	42
Oats for grain	38

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)
Cattle and calves	8,482
Goats	749
Hogs and pigs	200
Horses and ponies	1,023
Layers	(D)
Pullets	171,043
Sheep and lambs	444
Turkeys	(D)

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

^a May not add to 100% due to rounding. ^b Among counties whose rank can be displayed. ^c Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.