



Williamsburg County South Carolina

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	552	-19
Land in farms (acres)	208,601	-7
Average size of farm (acres)	378	+14
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	47,230,000	-24
Government payments	2,191,000	-21
Farm-related income	3,957,000	-17
Total farm production expenses	49,788,000	-11
Net cash farm income	3,590,000	-73
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	85,562	-6
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	7,183	+6
Farm-related income	15,890	-9
Total farm production expenses	90,196	+9
Net cash farm income	6,503	-67

2 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	87
Livestock, poultry, and products	13

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	52
Pastureland	2
Woodland	42
Other	4

Acres irrigated: 2,638

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	21
Reduced till	12
Intensive till	29
Cover crop	10

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	272	49
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	4
\$5,000 to \$9,999	71	13
\$10,000 to \$24,999	61	11
\$25,000 to \$49,999	43	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	13	2
\$100,000 or more	69	13

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	18	3
10 to 49 acres	129	23
50 to 179 acres	193	35
180 to 499 acres	108	20
500 to 999 acres	55	10
1,000 + acres	49	9

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	47,230	21	46	1,803	3,077
Crops	40,967	10	46	1,218	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	21,955	8	46	1,107	2,916
Tobacco	2,945	2	13	106	323
Cotton and cottonseed	11,147	4	31	170	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	788	23	46	819	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	(D)	45	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	(D)	41	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	36	11	31	418	1,384
Other crops and hay	2,720	19	46	926	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	6,263	34	46	2,349	3,073
Poultry and eggs	99	38	45	1,059	3,007
Cattle and calves	714	34	46	2,469	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	26	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	5,353	5	44	464	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	35	26	46	1,950	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	25	46	1,692	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	22	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	32	45	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	866	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 35,714
Male	634	60	Corn for grain 20,542
Female	232		Cotton, all 18,420
Age		Farm organically	Peanuts for nuts 3,159
<35	64	-	Forage (hay/haylage), all 3,138
35 – 64	437		
65 and older	365		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	4	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 486
Asian	4		Cattle and calves 2,608
Black or African American	248	Hire farm labor	Goats 465
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	32	Hogs and pigs 20,650
White	610		Horses and ponies 376
More than one race	4	Are family farms	Layers 6,381
Other characteristics		95	Pullets 61
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	1		Sheep and lambs 127
With military service	109		Turkeys 58
New and beginning farmers	230		

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.