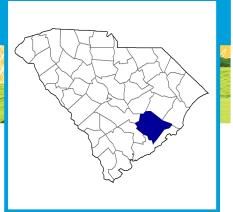


Berkeley County South Carolina



Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	339	-9
Land in farms (acres)	100,277	+34
Average size of farm (acres)	296	+47
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	5,046,000	-27
Government payments	403,000	+4
Farm-related income	2,512,000	-4
Total farm production expenses	9,641,000	-1
Net cash farm income	-1,680,000	-1071
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	14,885	-19
Government payments		
(average per farm receiving)	9,380	+69
Farm-related income	27,006	+5
Total farm production expenses	28,438	+9
Net cash farm income	-4,955	-1168

(**Z**) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales	by Type (%)	
Crops	8	
Livestock, poultry, and products		
Land in Farms I	by Use (%) a	
Cropland	1	
Pastureland		
Woodland	6	
Other		
Acres irrigated: 6	664	
	1% of land in farm	
Land Use Pract	ices (% of farms)	
No till	1	
Reduced till		
Intensive till	2	
Cover crop		

Farms by Value of Sale	es .		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total a		Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	217	64	1 to 9 acres	58	17
\$2,500 to \$4,999	33	10	10 to 49 acres	132	39
\$5,000 to \$9,999	24	7	50 to 179 acres	75	22
\$10,000 to \$24,999	25	7	180 to 499 acres	30	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	14	4	500 to 999 acres	26	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	4	1,000 + acres	18	5
\$100,000 or more	14	4			

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Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

		Rank	Counties	Rank	Counties
	Sales	in Otata b	Producing	in	Producing
Tatal	(\$1,000)	State b	Item	U.S. b	Item
Total	5,046	45	46	2,848	3,077
Crops	4,308	38	46	2,432	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,305	25	46	1,894	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	13	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	153	28	31	481	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	149	36	46	1,390	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	43	34	45	1,574	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	1,377	23	41	757	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	_	_	31	_	1,384
Other crops and hay	281	42	46	2,537	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	738	43	46	2,870	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	41	45	1,450	3,007
Cattle and calves	409	39	46	2,569	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	26	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	34	19	44	1,228	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	51	18	46	1,728	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	155	18	46	1,155	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	18	22	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	59	10	45	930	2,878

Total Producers ^c	542	Percent of farms	s that:	Top Crops in Acres d	
Sex Male Female	361 181	Have internet access	66	Corn for grain Soybeans for beans Forage (hay/haylage), all Wheat for grain, all	3,143 1,736 1,641 592
Age <35 35 – 64 65 and older	70 303 169	Farm organically	-	Sorghum for grain	(D)
Race American Indian/Alaska Native Asian Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4 35	Sell directly to consumers	6	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017) Broilers and other meat-type chickens Cattle and calves	4 1,936
White More than one race	495 8	farm labor	22	Goats Hogs and pigs Horses and ponies	790 299 621
Other characteristics Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	18 81 149	Are family farms	96	Layers Pullets Sheep and lambs Turkeys	1,326 66 330 34

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.