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FOREWORD

Nursery and floriculture crop production and sales have been on an upward trend for many years. South Carolina's population moved over the 4 million mark on the 2000 Census and this has resulted in increasing demand for ornamental plants and sod. Cash receipts for nursery, greenhouse, and floriculture crops in 2000 totaled \$255.9 million, an increase of 28 percent from 1999 and a 42 percent increase from 1998. The National Agricultural Statistics Service released the first multi-State nursery production survey results in August, 2001. The survey was conducted in 17 States and measured production of nine categories of nursery products. Our cover for this year's publication is a recognition of the extremely important contribution this industry makes to the economy of our State.

This bulletin is a cooperative effort among the National Agricultural Statistics Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, and the Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics, the South Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station, and the Cooperative Extension Service of Clemson University. This cooperative relationship increases the amount of information available about agriculture. The Federal program provides comparable statistics for all states, which are released in national reports, while state funds make it possible to prepare and publish detailed statistics for South Carolina.

We sincerely appreciate the time given by South Carolina farmers and agri-industry personnel to report information concerning their operations. Accurate agricultural statistics are crucial to an orderly marketplace and we thank everyone who assists in this effort. Finally, appreciation goes to my entire staff for their efforts in preparing accurate and timely statistics for South Carolina agriculture and for their dedication in preparing this publication.

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SOUTH CAROLINA CROP SUMMARY

2001

JANUARY: Overall, the month's average temperature Statewide was 44 degrees, near normal. The range for the month was 13 degrees for the low and 76 degrees for the high, and total rain fall was 1.85 inches. As the new year rang in, winter came in strong with daily temperatures dipping into the teens. Around the State, ice was observed on ponds and lakes, and temperatures for the first week of the new year were ten degrees below normal. Rains came during the second week with amounts of 0.25 - 0.50 inch. Milder weather produced normal temperatures for this period. During the third week, several areas in the State set daily record highs with temperatures in the high 70's, approximately 6 degrees above normal. As January came to an end, temperatures were only 2 degrees below normal for the last week. During the month, farmers were busy repairing and maintaining equipment, caring for livestock, attending agricultural expos and seminars and preparing for taxes with year end record keeping.

FEBRUARY: The State's average temperature for February was 50 degrees Fahrenheit, 3 degrees above normal. The average precipitation for the month was approximately 2.30 inches which is about 1.67 inches below normal. Farmers were busy repairing and maintaining equipment, pruning fruit trees, caring for livestock, attending agricultural seminars, preparing records for year end totals and taxes.

MARCH: Average temperatures during March were below normal across the State. Low 30 degree temperatures during the early morning hours of the 27th and 28th created problems for the peach farmers, especially with the early blooming varieties. Soil moisture was aided by a series of storms passing through during the month, but at month's end, total precipitation for the year was still several inches below normal. Farmers were beginning spring planting with some early corn, melon and vegetable planting already underway in the lower part of the State.

APRIL: Moisture was adequate during the month aided by scattered thunder showers. Statewide average rainfall was 0.7 inch. The temperature range for the month was from the 30's to the 90's; temperatures were slightly below normal with warm days and cool nights. A scattered mid-month frost caused minimal damage to tender cantaloup and watermelon plants. Strawberry picking was in full swing and at month's end, farmers were actively planting cotton, peanuts, sorghum, soybeans, tobacco and vegetables. Corn planting was nearly complete and small grain development was ahead of normal. Soil moisture was rated at 8% very short, 52% short, and 40% adequate at the end of month.

MAY: The Statewide average temperature was 69 degrees for the month of May, and total average rainfall for the month was 0.9 inch. High temperatures and lack of moisture had farmers concerned about crops and livestock and stalled most planting activities. Planted fields were showing little growth, corn was wilting, and fruits and vegetables were declining without irrigation. Strawberry harvest continued, and the peach crop was beginning to be harvested. At the end of May the soil moisture was rated at 33% very short, 46% short, and 21% adequate Statewide. Planting of most field crops was behind normal due to dry soils; small grain harvesting was underway.

JUNE: Rain fall for the month averaged 4.7 inches Statewide. With frequent rainfall in the afternoons, corn, soybeans, cotton, peanuts, and tobacco were all in good condition. Statewide average high temperatures were in the high 80's and the lows in the lower 60's with an average temperature of 77. Peaches remained in fair to good condition. Harvesting of cantaloups, cucumbers, peaches, snap beans, tomatoes, and watermelons were close to 2000 harvest rates. Livestock and pastures were in good condition. Soil moisture ratings across the state improved slightly to 1% very short, 17% short, 75% adequate, and 7% surplus.

JULY: The month started with a few scattered showers in the State and the end of the month brought strong thunderstorms along with high winds and hail in some areas. Generally, temperatures were slightly above normal, with some daytime temperatures lingering in the low 90's; high humidity increased the heat index significantly. The average temperature across the State was 79 degrees. Peach condition was fair to good for the month. Corn harvest was just starting, while the cantaloupe, watermelon, snap beans, and tomato harvests were very close to completion. Soil moisture ratings improved to 1% very short, 13% short, 73% adequate, and 13% surplus for the month.

AUGUST: Evening thunderstorms the first part of the month provided the soil with much needed moisture. Temperatures remained about normal with some days creeping into the upper 90's and lower 100's. The Statewide average temperature was 80 degrees. Corn harvest was behind normal, but exceptional yields were reported. Cotton remained in fair to good condition at month's end, with the lack of rain causing smaller plants and slow development. Tobacco harvest continued near normal and by the month's end was 79% complete, 1 percent ahead of normal. By month's end the peach harvest was 90% complete, 5% behind the 2000 crop year, with conditions fair to good. Early month rains improved pasture and livestock conditions, but end of month hot temperatures and few scattered rains, caused conditions to worsen. Hay harvest continued and was 88% complete at month's end. Soil moisture was rated at 16% very short, 48% short, and 36% adequate.

SEPTEMBER: The Statewide average temperature was 71 degrees, with the temperatures ranging from the high 40's to the mid 80's; the average rainfall was 2.8 inches. Corn harvest was 94% complete, 3% ahead of 2000 with high yields being reported across the State. By the end of the month farmers had begun spraying defoliants on cotton and had harvested about 15% of the crop with condition fair to good. Tobacco harvest was 99% complete. Peach harvest was completed the first of the month and 69% of the apple crop was harvested by month's end with fair to good condition reported. Pasture and livestock conditions improved by month's end and planting of small grains was ahead of normal. Soil moisture ratings across the State were 2% very short, 35% short, 61% adequate, and 2% surplus.

OCTOBER: The average Statewide temperature was 61 degrees with a range from the high 30's to the mid 70's. The first frost of the year occurred in the last week of October. The remainder of the month temperatures were near normal. Precipitation was almost nonexistent the entire month leading to concerns of continued drought conditions. The Statewide average rainfall was 0.8 inch. Continued dry weather provided favorable conditions for fall harvest. By month's end, corn and tobacco harvest was complete. The apple harvest was 97% complete and peanut harvest was 90% complete, both well ahead of 2000 and the normal. Sorghum harvest was also ahead of normal, but cotton and soybean harvest was behind normal. Planting of small grains slowed and in some areas stopped due to drought conditions. Pasture and livestock conditions continued to worsen from the lack of rain. Soil moisture ratings were 26% very short, 60% short, 14% adequate.

NOVEMBER: The Statewide average temperature was 57 degrees with a range from the low 30's to the low 70's, the cool dry weather was excellent for harvesting. Sweetpotato and apple harvesting was completed by mid-month. Sorghum harvesting ended the month at 100% complete, with cotton trailing closely at 94% complete. At the month's end soybeans were 92% harvested, 16% ahead of 2000 and 18% ahead of normal. Small grain planting was behind at the beginning of the month due to lack of soil moisture, but by month's end planting had increased to near normal. Pasture and livestock conditions continued fair to good but farmers had to supplement cattle feeding with hay due to lack of pasture growth. Soil moisture was rated at 45% very short, 50% short, and 5% adequate.

DECEMBER: Temperatures ranged from above normal during the first part of the month to below normal the last half. Statewide precipitation was drier than normal for the month and the only measurable rainfall occurred around mid-month which averaged above 1.0 inch in some places. Small grain growth during the month was rapid due to warmer than normal temperatures. Farmers were hoping for cooler weather to restrict growth. Harvesting of cotton and soybeans was completed during the first half of the month, and pecan harvesting was completed by the end of the month. Pastures and livestock were in fair condition with some supplemental feeding.

CROPS, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Acreage, Yield, and Production, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

Crop and Unit	Planted Acres		Harvested Acres		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Total Production	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Thou. Acres -----						----- Thou. -----	
Corn, Grain Bu.	310	260	280	240	65	108	18,200	25,920
Corn, Silage Ton	--	--	15	15	8.0	20.0	120	300
Cotton Lb. & Bale	300	300	290	296	627	686	379	423
Cottonseed Ton	--	--	--	--	--	--	133	137
Hay, All Ton	--	--	300	320	2.4	2.0	720	640
Oats Bu.	60	50	35	25	60	57	2,100	1,425
Peanuts, Nuts Lb.	10.5	11.0	10.0	10.2	2,950	3,000	29,500	30,600
Sorghum, Grain Bu.	9	8	7	6	52	65	364	390
Sorghum, Silage Ton	--	--	2	2	7	9	14	18
Soybeans, Beans * Bu.	450	450	430	430	25	22	10,750	9,460
Sweetpotatoes Cwt.	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.7	85	80	51	56
Tobacco Lb.	--	--	34.0	32.0	2,390	2,450	81,260	78,400
Wheat, Winter * Bu.	200	220	195	210	49	43	9,555	9,030
Apples Lb.	--	--	1.7	1.6	11,800	3,750	20,000	6,000
Grapes <u>1/</u> Tons	--	--	0.40	--	1.30	--	0.52	--
Peaches Lb.	--	--	16.5	16.0	9,090	6,250	150,000	100,000
Pecans, All <u>2/</u> Lb.	--	--	--	--	--	--	1,600	4,000
Cucumbers, Pickles Ton	3.4	3.5	3.2	3.3	2.77	4.90	8.9	16.2
FRESH MARKET								
Cucumbers Cwt.	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.9	60	140	90	266
Snapbeans Cwt.	1.6	1.5	1.2	1.3	26	41	31	53
Tomatoes Cwt.	3.5	3.3	3.4	3.2	260	340	884	1,088
Watermelons Cwt.	9.6	9.5	7.5	7.7	200	180	1,500	1,386

* Revisions for the year 2000. 1/ Grape estimates were discontinued in 2001. 2/ Utilized production.

SOUTH CAROLINA: Crops - Record Highs and Lows Through 2001

CROP	Unit	Date Series Began	Record	Harvested Acres		Yield per Acre		Production	
				Year ^{1/}	Acres (000)	Year ^{1/}	Yield	Year ^{1/}	Production (000)
BARLEY, GRAIN	Bu.	1929	High Low	1957 1936	40 2	1994 1955	72.0 13.3	1982 1936	1,650 28
CORN, GRAIN	Bu.	1866	High Low	1935 2001	1,826 240	2001 1866	108.0 6.5	1976 1866	52,026 6,175
CORN, SILAGE	Ton	1924	High Low	1976 1926	56 1	2001 1935	20.0 2.5	1975 1926	750 6
COTTON	Lb / Bale	1866	High Low	1918 1983	2,821 69	1994 1866	846 102	1911 1983	1,649 53
COTTONSEED	Ton	1866	High Low	-- --	-- --	-- --	-- --	1911 1983	731 20
HAY, ALL	Ton	1909	High Low	1942 1974	766 200	1994 1925	2.60 0.24	2000 1925	720 49
OATS, GRAIN	Bu.	1866	High Low	1944 2001	707 25	1994 1871	71.0 8.0	1946 1866	18,753 450
PEANUTS, NUTS	Lb.	1909	High Low	1943 1921	63 6	1996 1925	3,100 480	1984 1921	39,150 3,750
RYE, GRAIN	Bu.	1866	High Low	1974 1910	39 3	1992 1874	27.0 2.5	1974 1894	780 14
SORGHUM, GRAIN	Bu.	1944	High Low	1985 1945	47 1	2001 1954	65.0 12.5	1985 1944	2,209 16
SORGHUM, SILAGE	Ton	1929	High Low	1985 1930	27 1	1997 1954	15.0 4.5	1985 1930	324 6
SOYBEANS, BEANS	Bu.	1924	High Low	1982 1934	1,800 4	1994 1926	27.0 5.0	1979 1934	39,840 24
SWEETPOTATOES	Cwt.	1868	High Low	1943 1999	79 0.5	1985 1881	125 19	1943 2000	3,780 51
TOBACCO	Lb.	1889	High Low	1928 1889	148 2	2001 1924	2,450 490	1955 1889	197,200 1,130
WHEAT	Bu.	1866	High Low	1982 1930	550 38	1997 1890	50.0 4.0	1982 1908	19,800 273
APPLES	Lb.	1965	High Low	-- --	-- --	-- --	-- --	1992 1966	75,000 4,100
PEACHES	Lb.	1905	High Low	-- --	-- --	-- --	-- --	1984 1955	480,000 Crop Failure
PECANS	Lb.	1919	High Low	-- --	-- --	-- --	-- --	1963 1972	11,500 100

^{1/} These are the latest years that records were achieved. In some cases these records were equaled in several earlier years.

MAJOR CROPS - FIVE YEAR AVERAGE YIELDS
For 1997-2001, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA

County	Corn	Soybeans	Wheat	Cotton	Tobacco	Peanuts
	----- Bushels -----			----- Pounds -----		
Abbeville	*	*	*	*	--	--
Aiken	56	17	34	617	--	*
Allendale	61	19	38	653	--	3,890
Anderson	56	20	39	543	--	--
Bamberg	66	21	39	685	*	*
Barnwell	59	21	37	477	--	2,888
Beaufort	67	*	*	*	--	--
Berkeley	63	22	45	427	*	*
Calhoun	83	22	49	669	--	--
Charleston	67	*	*	*	--	*
Cherokee	*	20	*	*	--	--
Chester	*	*	44	434	--	--
Chesterfield	78	23	44	*	*	*
Clarendon	86	23	51	596	2,376	*
Colleton	68	22	37	505	*	*
Darlington	81	22	45	690	2,290	*
Dillon	75	23	42	651	2,175	*
Dorchester	71	23	42	536	*	*
Edgefield	*	14	36	453	--	*
Fairfield	*	*	*	*	--	--
Florence	75	22	40	565	2,092	2,116
Georgetown	69	23	43	*	2,677	*
Greenville	*	21	44	*	--	--
Greenwood	*	*	*	*	--	--
Hampton	66	20	36	595	*	3,120
Horry	80	23	42	537	2,281	*
Jasper	65	*	*	*	*	*
Kershaw	64	25	45	499	*	*
Lancaster	66	20	*	*	--	--
Laurens	*	*	36	*	--	--
Lee	76	22	49	495	2,099	2,168
Lexington	79	19	36	499	--	*
McCormick	*	*	*	*	--	--
Marion	79	21	39	558	2,064	--
Marlboro	81	24	46	639	2,280	*
Newberry	54	21	40	*	--	--
Oconee	*	20	42	*	--	--
Orangeburg	81	22	47	582	*	*
Pickens	*	*	*	*	--	--
Richland	71	19	42	*	--	*
Saluda	64	17	37	519	--	*
Spartanburg	64	20	40	*	--	--
Sumter	82	22	46	614	2,391	2,667
Union	*	*	*	*	--	--
Williamsburg	72	23	43	594	2,411	--
York	*	17	42	492	--	--
STATE	75	22	44	601	2,237	2,707

* Data not published due to established agency guidelines, or five years of data not available.

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Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Acres Planted for all Purposes		Acres Harvested for Grain		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production for Grain	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Acres -----				----- Bushels -----			
Abbeville	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Aiken	4,000	2,700	2,500	2,400	35	87	87,500	208,100
Allendale	14,500	13,500	13,700	12,300	30	90	414,000	1,107,000
Anderson	1,200	900	500	500	55	80	27,500	40,000
Bamberg	11,000	7,500	10,000	7,300	51	95	509,100	693,500
Barnwell	6,500	4,700	6,200	4,600	45	86	279,500	395,800
Beaufort	700	500	600	300	28	83	16,800	24,900
Berkeley	3,500	3,300	3,000	2,900	64	79	191,600	228,000
Calhoun	10,000	10,000	9,000	9,000	77	117	688,900	1,048,900
Charleston	1,000	500	800	400	40	83	31,800	33,200
Cherokee	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Chester	1/	400	1/	300	1/	69	1/	20,700
Chesterfield	4,200	3,900	4,000	3,800	86	105	344,000	400,000
Clarendon	37,000	32,000	36,300	31,000	68	136	2,464,400	4,226,700
Colleton	12,000	6,100	9,000	5,300	58	85	525,500	450,500
Darlington	13,000	11,100	12,300	10,800	85	108	1,039,700	1,168,400
Dillon	5,000	6,100	4,800	6,000	90	100	433,900	600,000
Dorchester	11,000	8,400	10,000	7,800	56	95	561,100	743,900
Edgefield	800	600	400	400	38	68	15,300	27,200
Fairfield	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Florence	13,000	9,100	12,800	8,800	85	104	1,088,000	917,200
Georgetown	2,500	2,200	2,300	1,900	80	82	184,000	155,900
Greenville	500	1/	300	1/	45	1/	13,500	1/
Greenwood	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Hampton	12,000	9,500	11,000	9,100	48	88	532,200	796,600
Horry	13,500	12,400	13,100	11,600	89	105	1,165,900	1,214,600
Jasper	2,000	1,300	1,500	1,200	30	89	45,200	107,200
Kershaw	1,200	1,000	1,100	950	51	87	56,600	82,700
Lancaster	700	500	650	400	64	75	41,900	30,000
Laurens	500	1/	400	1/	49	1/	19,600	1/
Lee	13,800	14,000	13,600	12,600	65	114	888,800	1,430,400
Lexington	6,000	5,500	5,400	5,000	75	120	404,000	600,000
McCormick	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Marion	4,500	4,900	4,000	4,700	80	105	320,800	493,500
Marlboro	3,000	2,300	2,600	2,200	83	110	215,800	242,000
Newberry	4,500	3,400	3,000	1,400	41	95	123,000	133,000
Oconee	600	1/	450	1/	45	1/	20,300	1/
Orangeburg	40,000	36,000	35,200	33,700	60	109	2,117,000	3,656,500
Pickens	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Richland	3,200	3,300	2,800	3,000	44	103	123,400	309,000
Saluda	1,400	900	950	500	50	92	47,500	45,900
Spartanburg	1,100	900	650	700	60	85	39,000	59,500
Sumter	30,000	25,000	27,000	23,600	63	123	1,712,300	2,905,200
Union	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Williamsburg	18,800	13,600	17,000	12,600	80	100	1,360,000	1,260,000
York	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Other Counties	1,800	2,000	1,100	950	46	67	50,600	64,000
STATE	310,000	260,000	280,000	240,000	65	108	18,200,000	25,920,000

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COTTON

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Acres Planted		Acres Harvested		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production 480 Lb. Net Weight Bale	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Acres -----				--- Pounds ---		--- Bales ---	
Abbeville	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Aiken	3,700	4,800	3,500	4,750	521	723	3,800	7,150
Allendale	4,600	2,100	4,400	2,100	644	777	5,900	3,400
Anderson	700	500	600	500	320	720	400	750
Bamberg	8,500	6,300	8,200	6,300	615	815	10,500	10,700
Barnwell	6,300	5,300	6,100	5,300	456	734	5,800	8,100
Beaufort	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Berkeley	600	1,000	550	1,000	524	480	600	1,000
Calhoun	26,000	27,900	25,800	27,800	633	751	34,000	43,500
Charleston	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cherokee	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Chester	1,900	1,800	1,800	1,800	400	560	1,500	2,100
Chesterfield	1,000	800	950	800	606	600	1,200	1,000
Clarendon	7,700	11,200	7,500	11,200	666	673	10,400	15,700
Colleton	1,200	1,500	1,100	1,500	567	512	1,300	1,600
Darlington	35,300	39,800	34,600	38,900	667	740	48,100	60,000
Dillon	18,500	18,700	18,000	18,500	749	695	28,100	26,800
Dorchester	8,000	7,800	7,800	7,600	492	701	8,000	11,100
Edgefield	600	400	550	400	393	540	450	450
Fairfield	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Florence	18,100	14,500	17,500	13,500	524	640	19,100	18,000
Georgetown	1,000	2,000	950	2,000	657	696	1,300	2,900
Greenville	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Greenwood	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Hampton	13,200	6,300	12,900	6,300	659	792	17,700	10,400
Horry	2,000	600	1,900	600	480	800	1,900	1,000
Jasper	500	1/	450	1/	640	1/	600	1/
Kershaw	700	700	700	700	411	480	600	700
Lancaster	1/	--	1/	--	1/	--	1/	--
Laurens	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Lee	26,200	27,500	25,900	27,500	567	497	30,600	28,500
Lexington	2,000	2,100	1,900	2,100	404	617	1,600	2,700
McCormick	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marion	6,500	3,700	5,700	3,700	472	778	5,600	6,000
Marlboro	32,100	32,800	31,300	32,600	715	655	46,600	44,500
Newberry	1,100	1,100	1,050	1,100	457	676	1,000	1,550
Oconee	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Orangeburg	30,300	29,000	27,800	28,000	691	734	40,000	42,800
Pickens	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Richland	900	4,400	800	4,400	420	545	700	5,000
Saluda	1,100	1,200	1,050	1,200	594	700	1,300	1,750
Spartanburg	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sumter	8,100	10,000	8,000	10,000	720	734	12,000	15,300
Union	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Williamsburg	27,100	29,200	26,400	29,000	620	692	34,100	41,800
York	3,500	4,100	3,400	4,100	494	702	3,500	6,000
Other Counties	1,000	900	850	750	424	480	750	750
STATE	300,000	300,000	290,000	296,000	627	686	379,000	423,000

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ALL HAY
Acres, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Acres Harvested		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	---- Acres ----		----- Tons -----			
Abbeville	9,500	10,800	2.2	1.9	20,900	20,400
Aiken	13,500	14,700	2.2	2.4	29,100	34,800
Allendale	1,700	1,800	2.8	2.6	4,700	4,700
Anderson	29,400	33,200	2.0	2.1	59,300	71,100
Bamberg	2,600	2,300	2.6	2.2	6,700	5,000
Barnwell	2,000	2,200	2.3	2.5	4,500	5,600
Beaufort	700	700	3.6	2.0	2,500	1,400
Berkeley	1,800	2,200	3.2	2.2	5,700	4,800
Calhoun	2,500	2,100	2.3	2.4	5,700	5,000
Charleston	1,800	2,100	2.7	2.4	4,900	5,100
Cherokee	9,000	8,400	2.0	1.8	18,000	14,700
Chester	6,000	6,500	2.4	1.9	14,300	12,600
Chesterfield	10,400	11,100	2.7	2.1	28,100	23,800
Clarendon	1,700	2,000	3.5	3.0	6,000	5,900
Colleton	4,200	4,700	3.1	2.2	12,900	10,300
Darlington	2,900	3,700	2.8	2.4	8,100	9,000
Dillon	1,100	1,100	2.7	2.7	3,000	3,000
Dorchester	2,100	1,700	3.0	2.3	6,300	3,900
Edgefield	5,700	5,000	2.4	2.0	13,700	10,100
Fairfield	3,300	3,600	2.3	2.2	7,500	7,900
Florence	2,000	2,100	2.7	2.9	5,300	6,000
Georgetown	1,300	1,400	2.6	2.3	3,400	3,200
Greenville	10,800	11,300	2.3	1.7	24,800	19,700
Greenwood	9,200	10,300	2.2	2.0	20,200	20,500
Hampton	1,000	1,200	3.5	2.8	3,500	3,400
Horry	4,800	5,000	3.3	2.8	15,900	14,000
Jasper	1,800	2,000	3.7	2.9	6,600	5,800
Kershaw	4,600	5,200	2.9	1.8	13,400	9,200
Lancaster	10,400	12,700	2.6	1.6	26,900	20,100
Laurens	16,900	17,300	1.8	1.5	30,300	25,500
Lee	1,900	2,000	3.4	1.8	6,500	3,600
Lexington	10,900	10,300	2.4	2.4	26,000	25,000
McCormick	2,500	2,400	1.6	1.3	3,900	3,200
Marion	2,100	3,000	2.7	3.2	5,700	9,700
Marlboro	2,000	1,500	2.6	2.6	5,200	3,900
Newberry	13,300	11,100	2.7	2.0	36,000	22,000
Oconee	10,300	12,800	2.4	1.9	24,700	24,600
Orangeburg	9,400	9,100	2.6	2.4	24,000	22,200
Pickens	8,900	9,500	2.3	1.5	20,500	14,300
Richland	4,200	4,500	2.3	2.0	9,800	9,000
Saluda	14,100	14,400	2.6	1.8	36,500	26,200
Spartanburg	17,000	19,600	2.1	1.8	35,900	35,700
Sumter	4,400	4,500	3.1	2.0	13,800	9,000
Union	5,600	7,200	2.1	1.2	11,700	8,700
Williamsburg	2,900	2,900	3.1	2.8	9,000	8,100
York	15,800	16,800	2.4	1.7	38,600	28,300
STATE	300,000	320,000	2.4	2.0	720,000	640,000

OATS

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Acres Planted for all Purposes		Acres Harvested for Grain		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production for Grain	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Acres -----				----- Bushels -----			
Abbeville	1,750	950	650	300	50	56	32,500	16,800
Aiken	1,250	1,000	650	400	60	40	39,000	15,800
Allendale	1,100	1,350	450	600	57	52	25,800	30,900
Anderson	3,800	2,500	1,850	1,150	53	56	97,600	64,500
Bamberg	2,800	2,700	2,200	1,800	55	56	120,600	101,000
Barnwell	650	1,100	350	300	41	24	14,400	7,300
Beaufort	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Berkeley	600	650	450	400	43	25	19,200	10,000
Calhoun	1,250	750	800	600	68	64	54,400	38,300
Charleston	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Cherokee	950	1/	350	1/	43	1/	14,900	1/
Chester	750	1/	400	1/	56	1/	22,400	1/
Chesterfield	600	1/	400	1/	60	1/	24,000	1/
Clarendon	1,300	2,400	650	1,400	66	65	42,700	90,500
Colleton	2,300	1,400	1,450	1,000	70	57	100,900	57,300
Darlington	1,500	1/	1,000	1/	65	1/	65,200	1/
Dillon	1/	650	1/	300	1/	60	1/	18,100
Dorchester	1,800	1,500	1,400	1,100	59	64	83,000	70,500
Edgefield	750	1/	350	1/	53	1/	18,700	1/
Fairfield	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Florence	1,200	1,150	1,000	700	55	66	55,000	46,200
Georgetown	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Greenville	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Greenwood	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Hampton	750	950	550	600	70	44	38,500	26,100
Horry	3,700	6,000	2,850	2,850	73	66	208,100	189,100
Jasper	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Kershaw	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Lancaster	650	1/	300	1/	57	1/	17,100	1/
Laurens	1,800	1,450	1,050	600	53	44	55,600	26,600
Lee	500	1/	400	1/	68	1/	27,200	1/
Lexington	1,850	600	1,400	500	60	52	84,000	25,800
McCormick	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Marion	1,100	1,200	700	450	65	52	45,300	23,200
Marlboro	1,000	1/	650	1/	60	1/	39,000	1/
Newberry	4,450	3,200	1,700	1,050	58	61	98,600	63,600
Oconee	700	1/	300	1/	52	1/	15,600	1/
Orangeburg	5,000	4,550	3,850	3,100	68	67	261,800	208,300
Pickens	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Richland	750	1/	500	1/	55	1/	27,500	1/
Saluda	2,500	2,200	750	400	62	48	46,500	19,300
Spartanburg	1,950	700	1,250	500	47	36	58,800	18,100
Sumter	1,150	1,500	800	700	65	63	52,000	43,900
Union	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Williamsburg	1,850	2,300	1,000	1,050	55	64	55,000	67,000
York	1,350	1,200	500	350	65	33	32,500	11,400
Other Counties	4,600	6,050	2,050	2,800	52	48	106,600	135,400
STATE	60,000	50,000	35,000	25,000	60	57	2,100,000	1,425,000

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PEANUTS

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Acres Planted <u>1/</u>		Acres Harvested <u>2/</u>		Yield per Harvested Acre		Production <u>2/</u>	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Acres -----				--- Pounds ---		-- Thou. Lbs. --	
Allendale	870	795	820	790	4,490	4,680	3,680	3,697
Barnwell	1,950	2,075	1,860	2,000	2,840	3,330	5,279	6,660
Florence	710	995	680	710	2,285	2,110	1,553	1,498
Hampton	810	815	780	810	3,255	3,945	2,540	3,194
Lee	2,360	2,330	2,250	2,320	2,410	1,980	5,425	4,594
Sumter	2,650	2,425	2,520	2,400	2,925	2,970	7,375	7,126
Other Counties	1,150	1,565	1,090	1,170	3,345	3,275	3,648	3,831
STATE	10,500	11,000	10,000	10,200	2,950	3,000	29,500	30,600

1/ Includes acreage for green nuts. 2/ Acreage and production estimated for peanuts for nuts only.

TOBACCO

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Acres Harvested		Yield per Harvested Acre		Production	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	--- Acres ---		--- Pounds ---		--- Thou. Lbs. ---	
Clarendon	1,590	1,500	2,680	2,640	4,258	3,960
Darlington	2,720	2,680	2,290	2,580	6,235	6,913
Dillon	3,080	2,950	2,435	2,110	7,502	6,230
Florence	7,320	6,150	2,105	2,305	15,393	14,184
Georgetown	710	670	3,000	3,020	2,129	2,024
Horry	8,930	8,660	2,520	2,590	22,515	22,422
Lee	590	520	2,225	2,305	1,312	1,198
Marion	3,270	3,110	2,310	2,040	7,548	6,339
Marlboro	430	480	2,270	2,585	977	1,240
Sumter	720	680	2,655	2,770	1,911	1,883
Williamsburg	3,690	3,590	2,615	2,710	9,642	9,728
Other Counties	950	1,010	1,935	2,256	1,838	2,279
STATE	34,000	32,000	2,390	2,450	81,260	78,400

SOYBEANS

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 Revised and 2001

County	Acres Planted for all Purposes		Acres Harvested for Beans		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production for Beans	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Acres -----				----- Bushels -----			
Abbeville	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Aiken	3,100	4,900	2,850	4,500	21	18	59,900	80,100
Allendale	12,000	12,400	11,500	12,200	19	23	218,500	276,200
Anderson	1,700	2,000	1,600	2,000	17	30	27,300	59,100
Bamberg	4,600	3,800	4,500	3,700	25	23	112,500	84,300
Barnwell	4,700	4,200	4,500	4,150	22	21	99,000	87,700
Beaufort	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Berkeley	3,000	2,200	2,800	1,900	23	19	64,400	36,800
Calhoun	7,000	5,000	6,300	4,200	25	21	157,500	89,800
Charleston	700	500	500	450	19	24	9,500	10,800
Cherokee	400	300	300	300	16	34	4,800	10,100
Chester	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Chesterfield	8,700	11,000	8,500	10,600	27	20	229,500	215,500
Clarendon	28,000	28,600	27,700	28,000	25	24	692,500	668,500
Colleton	5,300	3,600	4,700	3,500	23	22	108,100	76,900
Darlington	40,500	40,000	39,600	39,300	25	21	991,000	816,500
Dillon	40,000	38,500	38,800	37,900	26	21	1,007,800	789,700
Dorchester	5,300	5,500	4,800	5,300	25	23	120,000	119,800
Edgefield	900	800	500	550	20	10	10,000	5,400
Fairfield	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Florence	51,000	52,000	49,000	46,900	26	20	1,270,000	942,500
Georgetown	4,000	4,000	3,900	3,100	26	24	101,400	74,300
Greenville	400	400	350	400	19	33	6,700	13,000
Greenwood	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Hampton	5,800	4,100	5,500	3,800	25	27	137,500	101,500
Horry	50,000	55,500	47,500	52,200	26	23	1,221,700	1,225,000
Jasper	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Kershaw	2,300	3,000	1,600	2,700	25	21	40,000	57,000
Lancaster	800	1,400	650	1,250	26	18	16,900	22,500
Laurens	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Lee	35,000	31,800	34,200	31,300	26	21	889,200	657,000
Lexington	5,200	4,300	5,100	4,200	24	22	122,400	93,900
McCormick	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Marion	18,800	19,500	18,400	19,000	24	21	441,700	400,400
Marlboro	22,500	23,000	21,800	22,300	27	22	588,600	494,300
Newberry	2,800	2,800	2,700	2,700	24	22	64,700	60,500
Oconee	900	1,000	850	900	21	24	17,900	22,000
Orangeburg	25,000	26,300	23,700	25,400	24	23	568,800	596,600
Pickens	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Richland	8,300	4,600	7,600	4,500	20	24	152,000	109,600
Saluda	700	900	300	750	22	15	6,600	10,900
Spartanburg	700	300	600	300	15	32	9,000	9,700
Sumter	27,500	28,600	26,400	27,800	25	21	660,000	591,000
Union	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Williamsburg	20,000	21,500	19,000	20,500	26	26	494,000	522,800
York	1,000	500	450	450	20	19	9,000	8,500
Other Counties	1,400	1,200	950	1,000	21	20	19,600	19,800
STATE	450,000	450,000	430,000	430,000	25	22	10,750,000	9,460,000

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WHEAT

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 Revised and 2001

County	Acres Planted for all Purposes		Acres Harvested for Grain		Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production for Grain	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Acres -----				----- Bushels -----			
Abbeville	500	600	400	500	30	32	12,000	16,100
Aiken	1,700	2,300	1,600	2,100	35	27	56,000	56,900
Allendale	7,500	14,400	7,400	14,300	42	36	312,800	514,800
Anderson	3,900	3,700	3,800	3,400	46	36	176,300	122,400
Bamberg	2,300	2,000	2,200	1,700	50	34	110,000	57,800
Barnwell	1,700	2,300	1,600	2,200	40	35	64,000	77,000
Beaufort	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Berkeley	1,800	700	1,700	600	52	44	88,400	26,400
Calhoun	3,300	3,200	3,200	3,100	56	50	179,200	155,000
Charleston	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Cherokee	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Chester	1,200	1,500	1,000	1,100	50	40	50,000	44,000
Chesterfield	3,000	3,300	2,900	3,200	50	46	146,000	148,600
Clarendon	13,900	17,500	13,800	17,400	55	47	760,000	817,800
Colleton	2,000	1,900	1,900	1,400	45	35	85,500	49,000
Darlington	17,900	14,800	17,800	14,700	51	46	906,800	680,600
Dillon	22,900	21,900	22,800	21,800	46	46	1,050,000	997,500
Dorchester	1,000	1,700	900	1,600	45	45	40,500	72,000
Edgefield	600	900	500	500	45	24	22,500	12,000
Fairfield	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Florence	11,900	11,200	11,700	11,100	41	40	479,700	448,300
Georgetown	700	800	700	700	52	45	36,400	31,500
Greenville	500	400	400	400	47	43	18,800	17,200
Greenwood	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Hampton	2,700	2,200	2,600	2,100	53	34	138,800	71,400
Horry	9,700	11,200	9,500	11,000	48	41	459,000	448,000
Jasper	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Kershaw	1,900	2,700	1,600	2,400	55	44	88,000	105,600
Lancaster	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Laurens	1,300	1,100	1,200	1,000	46	35	55,200	35,300
Lee	21,400	21,900	21,300	21,800	52	47	1,107,800	1,030,500
Lexington	1,200	1,100	1,100	1,000	41	30	45,100	29,600
McCormick	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Marion	5,700	5,200	5,600	5,100	45	40	252,000	204,000
Marlboro	9,900	5,600	9,800	5,500	51	45	503,100	247,400
Newberry	3,900	7,400	3,800	5,200	44	37	168,900	190,000
Oconee	1,300	1,300	1,200	1,100	47	44	56,400	48,400
Orangeburg	12,300	18,700	12,200	18,500	56	44	684,200	807,400
Pickens	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Richland	6,100	5,000	6,000	4,700	45	46	270,000	216,200
Saluda	1,700	2,100	1,500	1,000	42	33	63,000	33,100
Spartanburg	700	600	500	400	41	37	20,500	14,800
Sumter	15,600	20,500	15,500	20,300	53	45	821,500	913,500
Union	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/	1/
Williamsburg	3,000	4,700	2,900	4,600	41	44	118,900	200,900
York	1,300	1,400	1,100	1,000	44	36	48,400	36,000
Other Counties	2,000	2,200	1,300	1,500	46	35	59,300	53,000
STATE	200,000	220,000	195,000	210,000	49	43	9,555,000	9,030,000

1/ Included in other counties; not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

APPLES

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Total Bearing Acres		Yield Per Bearing Acre ^{1/}		Total Production		Utilized Production ^{2/}	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	---- Acres ----		---- Pounds ----		----- Thou. Lbs. -----			
Oconee	750	710	5,200	1,400	3,900	994	3,120	672
Spartanburg	670	610	21,800	6,800	14,606	4,148	11,685	496
Other Counties	280	280	5,300	3,060	1,494	858	1,195	832
STATE	1,700	1,600	11,800	3,750	20,000	6,000	16,000	2,000

^{1/} Yield is calculated by dividing total production by total bearing acres with the published estimate rounded according to agency rounding rules. ^{2/} Utilized production by county is based on ratio of State utilized production to State total production.

PEACHES

Acreage, Yield and Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Total Bearing Acres		Yield Per Bearing Acre ^{1/}		Total Production		Utilized Production ^{2/}	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	---- Acres ----		---- Pounds ----		----- Thou. Lbs. -----			
Aiken	950	1,000	6,680	7,200	6,339	7,200	5,861	5,800
Tri-County ^{3/}	1,760	1,620	2,800	2,790	4,935	4,512	4,773	3,086
Cherokee	520	520	11,400	6,800	5,947	3,536	5,775	3,068
Edgefield	4,100	4,000	9,050	6,900	37,107	27,600	34,558	22,400
Greenville	530	520	13,000	3,300	6,869	1,716	6,700	1,404
Lexington	360	320	9,210	4,300	3,316	1,376	3,184	1,248
Orangeburg	460	400	2,870	2,400	1,322	960	1,306	280
Saluda	3,300	3,300	10,500	7,700	34,663	25,410	30,928	23,430
Spartanburg	3,200	3,000	10,200	4,100	32,726	12,300	31,259	9,600
York	300	300	9,740	5,600	2,922	1,680	2,701	1,380
Other Counties	1,020	1,020	13,580	13,400	13,854	13,710	12,955	13,304
STATE	16,500	16,000	9,090	6,250	150,000	100,000	140,000	85,000

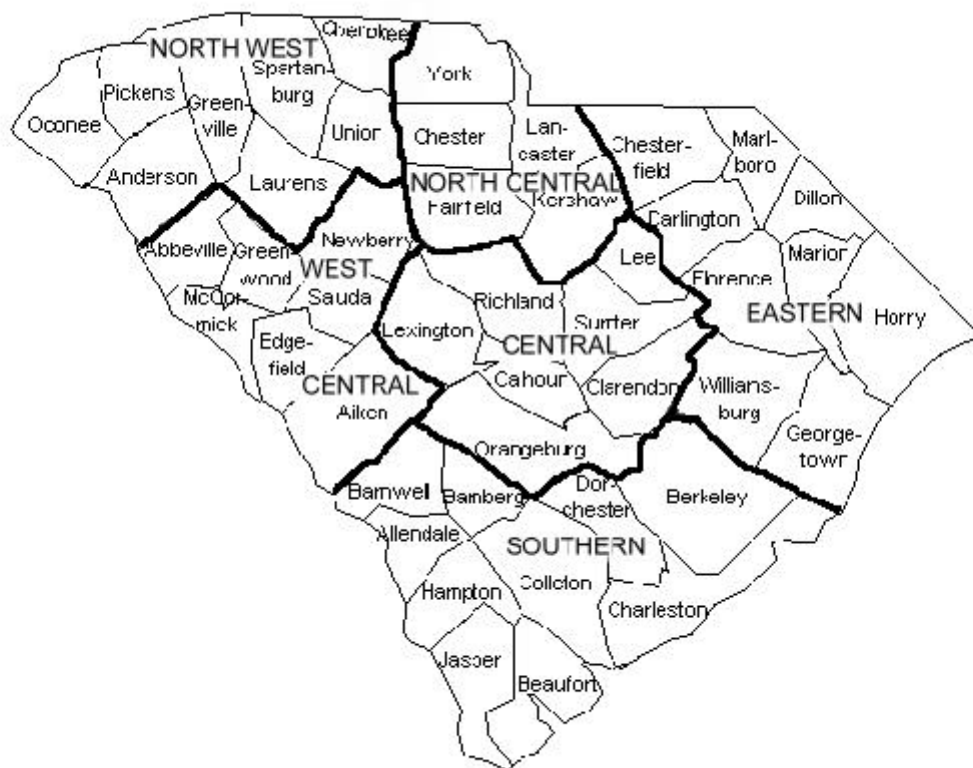
^{1/} Yield is calculated by dividing total production by total bearing acres with the published estimate rounded according to agency rounding rules. ^{2/} Utilized production by county is based on ratio of State utilized production to State total production. ^{3/} Tri-County area includes Allendale, Barnwell, and Hampton counties.

PECANS

Utilized Production and Price by Variety, by Years, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1996 - 2001

Year	Utilized Production			Price Per Pound			Value of Production		
	Improved	Native / Seedling	All	Improved	Native / Seedling	All	Improved	Native / Seedling	All
	---- Thou. Lbs ----			---- Dollars ----			----- Thou. Dollars -----		
1996	1,800	700	2,500	0.700	0.530	0.652	1,260	371	1,631
1997	2,100	1,400	3,500	0.840	0.610	0.748	1,764	854	2,618
1998	800	300	1,100	1.240	1.020	1.180	992	306	1,298
1999	1,800	900	2,700	0.840	0.750	0.810	1,512	675	2,187
2000	1,200	400	1,600	1.110	0.920	1.060	1,332	368	1,700
2001	2,500	1,500	4,000	0.640	0.460	0.573	1,600	690	2,290

SOUTH CAROLINA DISTRICT REFERENCE MAP



CORN

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

District	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production For Grain
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----	
North West	4,500	2,700	51	138,900
North Central	2,800	2,300	54	124,500
Eastern	77,500	72,900	84	6,152,100
West Central	11,000	7,000	40	278,900
Central	140,000	129,300	65	8,398,800
Southern	74,200	65,800	47	3,106,800
STATE	310,000	280,000	65	18,200,000
2001				
North West	3,100	1,800	76	137,500
North Central	2,400	1,900	80	152,500
Eastern	65,600	62,400	103	6,451,600
West Central	7,800	4,800	88	421,100
Central	125,800	117,900	120	14,176,700
Southern	55,300	51,200	89	4,580,600
STATE	260,000	240,000	108	25,920,000

COTTON

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

District	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production 480 Lb. Net Wt. Bale
2000	----- Acres -----		Pounds	Bales
Eastern	141,600	137,300	650	186,000
West Central	6,700	6,300	510	6,700
Central	101,200	97,700	635	129,300
Southern	42,900	41,500	583	50,400
Other Districts	7,600	7,200	440	6,600
STATE	300,000	290,000	627	379,000
2001				
Eastern	142,100	139,600	695	202,000
West Central	7,800	7,700	698	11,200
Central	112,100	111,000	664	153,500
Southern	30,400	30,100	738	46,300
Other Districts	7,600	7,600	632	10,000
STATE	300,000	296,000	686	423,000

HAY

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

District	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Tons -----
North West	107,900	2.1	225,200
North Central	40,100	2.5	100,700
Eastern	29,500	2.8	83,700
West Central	67,800	2.4	160,300
Central	35,000	2.6	91,800
Southern	19,700	3.0	58,300
STATE	300,000	2.4	720,000
2001			
North West	119,300	1.8	214,300
North Central	44,800	1.7	78,100
Eastern	31,800	2.5	80,700
West Central	68,700	2.0	137,200
Central	34,500	2.3	79,700
Southern	20,900	2.4	50,000
STATE	320,000	2.0	640,000

OATS

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

District	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production For Grain
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----	
North West	10,700	5,200	51	263,200
North Central	3,500	1,600	58	92,000
Eastern	11,600	8,100	65	522,700
West Central	11,500	4,400	57	251,200
Central	11,800	8,400	65	549,600
Southern	10,900	7,300	58	421,300
STATE	60,000	35,000	60	2,100,000
2001				
North West	6,000	2,800	49	135,900
North Central	2,700	900	40	36,300
Eastern	12,300	5,900	63	372,900
West Central	8,400	2,600	52	135,900
Central	10,500	6,700	64	428,000
Southern	10,100	6,100	52	316,000
STATE	50,000	25,000	57	1,425,000

PEANUTS

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

District	Acres Planted <u>1/</u>	Acres Harvested <u>2/</u>	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production <u>2/</u>
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Pounds -----	
Eastern	870	830	2,245	1,862,000
Central	5,410	5,150	2,890	14,874,000
Southern	3,840	3,660	3,330	12,195,000
Other Districts	380	360	1,580	569,000
STATE	10,500	10,000	2,950	29,500,000
2001				
Eastern	1,175	830	2,110	1,750,000
Central	5,310	5,065	2,585	13,101,000
Southern	4,150	3,960	3,780	14,959,000
Other Districts	365	345	2,290	790,000
STATE	11,000	10,200	3,000	30,600,000

1/ Includes acreage for green nuts. 2/ Acreage and production estimated for peanuts for nuts only.

SORGHUM

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 Revised and 2001

District	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production For Grain
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----	
North West	1,950	1,500	45	67,900
Eastern	1,050	700	41	29,000
West Central	1,100	750	60	45,200
Central	3,900	3,300	55	181,400
Other Districts ^{1/}	1,000	750	54	40,500
STATE	9,000	7,000	52	364,000
2001				
North West	2,350	2,050	65	133,300
North Central	700	500	60	30,000
Eastern	1,250	900	62	55,800
West Central	1,150	850	64	54,300
Central	1,350	950	73	69,800
Southern	1,200	750	62	46,800
STATE	8,000	6,000	65	390,000

^{1/} Not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

SOYBEANS

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 Revised and 2001

District	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Beans	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production For Beans
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----	
North West	4,400	3,900	18	68,900
North Central	4,600	3,000	24	73,400
Eastern	255,500	246,500	26	6,345,700
West Central	7,600	6,400	22	142,100
Central	136,000	131,000	25	3,242,400
Southern	41,900	39,200	22	877,500
STATE	450,000	430,000	25	10,750,000
2001				
North West	4,300	4,100	29	117,900
North Central	5,200	4,700	20	94,100
Eastern	265,000	251,800	22	5,481,000
West Central	9,600	8,700	18	159,400
Central	129,200	125,400	22	2,806,400
Southern	36,700	35,300	23	801,200
STATE	450,000	430,000	22	9,460,000

TOBACCO

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

District	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production
2000	--- Acres ---	--- Pounds ---	--- Thou. Lbs. ---
Eastern	30,400	2,380	72,416
Central	2,900	2,580	7,481
Other Districts	700	1,950	1,363
STATE	34,000	2,390	81,260
2001			
Eastern	28,500	2,440	69,589
Central	2,700	2,610	7,041
Other Districts	800	2,210	1,770
STATE	32,000	2,450	78,400

WHEAT

Acreage, Yield, and Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 Revised and 2001

District	Acres Planted For All Purposes	Acres Harvested For Grain	Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production For Grain
2000	----- Acres -----		----- Bushels -----	
North West	8,200	7,400	46	340,400
North Central	5,100	4,100	51	207,200
Eastern	84,700	83,700	47	3,951,900
West Central	8,900	8,200	41	339,700
Central	73,800	73,100	53	3,867,800
Southern	19,300	18,500	46	848,000
STATE	200,000	195,000	49	9,555,000
2001				
North West	7,600	6,600	38	249,900
North Central	6,500	5,200	40	210,100
Eastern	78,700	77,700	44	3,406,800
West Central	13,600	9,400	33	311,000
Central	87,900	86,800	46	3,970,000
Southern	25,700	24,300	36	882,200
STATE	220,000	210,000	43	9,030,000

VEGETABLES

Acreage, Yield, Production, Unit Price and Value of Production, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1997 - 2001 ^{1/}

Years	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Price Per Unit	Value of Production
	---- Acres ----		- Cwt. -	- 000 Cwt. -	- Dols./ Cwt. -	- 000 Dols. -
CUCUMBERS FOR PICKLES - ^{2/}						
1997	4,000	3,800	3.00	11,400	230.00	2,622
1998	2,100	2,100	2.86	6,010	200.00	1,202
1999	1,700	1,700	3.10	5,270	215.00	1,133
2000	3,400	3,200	2.77	8,860	225.00	1,994
2001	3,500	3,300	4.90	16,170	200.00	3,234
CUCUMBERS - FRESH MARKET						
1997	2,000	1,700	110	187	25.00	4,675
1998	2,300	2,000	80	160	28.00	4,480
1999	2,200	1,900	60	114	23.50	2,679
2000	2,000	1,500	60	90	27.50	2,475
2001	2,000	1,900	140	266	14.20	3,777
SNAP BEANS - FRESH MARKET						
1997	1,900	1,700	24	41	36.00	1,476
1998	2,000	1,700	12	20	46.00	920
1999	2,000	1,700	23	39	36.00	1,404
2000	1,600	1,200	26	31	39.00	1,209
2001	1,500	1,300	41	53	30.00	1,590
TOMATOES - FRESH MARKET						
1997	3,300	3,200	200	640	35.10	22,440
1998	3,300	3,200	280	896	27.00	24,192
1999	3,700	3,600	230	828	22.00	18,216
2000	3,500	3,400	260	884	23.00	20,332
2001	3,300	3,200	340	1,088	21.60	23,501
WATERMELONS						
1997	10,500	9,200	150	1,380	6.50	8,970
1998	11,000	8,800	150	1,320	6.00	7,920
1999	11,000	9,500	130	1,235	6.70	8,275
2000	9,600	7,500	200	1,500	5.10	7,650
2001	9,500	7,700	180	1,386	5.70	7,900

^{1/} South Carolina makes estimates for vegetable commodities, fresh market and processing, through the Federal Estimates Program. ^{2/} Yield and production in tons; price in dollars per ton.

VEGETABLES

Acreage, Yield, Production, Unit Price and Value of Production, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 - 2001 ^{1/}

Years	Acres Planted	Acres Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Price Per Unit	Value of Production
	----- Acres -----		- Cwt. -	- 000 Cwt. -	- Dols./ Cwt. -	- 000 Dols. -
CANTALOUPS - FRESH MARKET						
2000	1,300	1,000	100	100	13.50	1,350
2001	1,600	1,500	100	150	13.30	1,995
COLLARD GREENS - FRESH MARKET / PROCESSING						
2000	2,500	2,300	190	437	23.70	10,357
2001	2,600	2,200	120	264	25.10	6,626
KALE - FRESH MARKET / PROCESSING						
2000	500	500	190	95	21.30	2,020
2001	500	500	230	115	25.90	2,979
LIMA BEANS - FRESH MARKET / PROCESSING						
2000	1,300	1,000	20	20	40.00	800
2001	1,400	1,200	15	18	35.00	630
MUSTARD GREENS - FRESH / PROCESSING						
2000	700	700	150	105	22.90	2,409
2001	700	700	190	133	23.60	3,141
SQUASH - FRESH MARKET / PROCESSING						
2000	1,100	1,100	90	99	27.80	2,750
2001	1,100	1,100	140	154	23.80	3,661
TURNIP GREENS - FRESH MARKET / PROCESSING						
2000	900	900	160	144	22.50	3,240
2001	1,000	900	180	162	24.20	3,915

^{1/} Minor vegetable commodities for fresh market and processing added to the Federal Estimating Program in the Year 2000.

MUSHROOMS: South Carolina participates in the Annual Mushroom Survey, however due to established agency guidelines, data are included in other states.

GRAIN STORAGE CAPACITY Off-Farm and On Farm

Capacity of **Off-Farm** commercial grain storage totaled 24.2 million bushels in SOUTH CAROLINA on December 1, 2001, 1 percent below December 1, 2000. With this capacity, South Carolina ranks 33rd in the United States.

Off-farm grain storage facilities in South Carolina totaled 87 on December 1, 2001, unchanged from December 1, 2000. **On-Farm** capacity is not published for South Carolina.

Off-Farm and On-Farm Grain Storage Capacity, Selected States, December 1, 2000 and 2001

Selected State	Number of Off-Farm Facilities		Rated Off-Farm Storage Capacity ^{1/}		On-Farm Storage Capacity ^{2/}	
	Dec. 1 2000 ^{3/}	Dec. 1 2001	Dec. 1 2000 ^{3/}	Dec. 1 2001	Dec. 1 2000 ^{3/}	Dec. 1 2001
	----- Thou. Bushels -----					
Florida	27	26	6,642	7,131	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>
Georgia	197	188	46,525	46,350	80,000	75,000
North Carolina	203	204	65,920	66,000	90,000	80,000
SOUTH CAROLINA	87	87	24,452	24,161	<u>4/</u>	<u>4/</u>
Virginia	99	90	32,895	31,301	45,000	40,000
UNITED STATES	9,830	9,695	8,348,996	8,419,880	11,195,000	11,175,000

^{1/} Off-farm grain storage capacity data includes all elevators, warehouses, terminals, merchant mills, other storage, and oilseed crushers which store grains, soybeans, sunflowers, or flaxseed. ^{2/} On-farm grain storage capacity includes all bins, cribs, sheds, and other structures normally used to store whole grains or oilseeds located on farms. ^{3/} Revised. ^{4/} Not published.

GRAIN AND HAY STOCKS

On Farm, Off Farm, and in All Positions, SOUTH CAROLINA, Quarterly, 2000 - 2001

Year	ON FARM STOCKS				OFF FARM STOCKS				TOTAL STOCKS ALL POSITIONS			
	MAR. 1	JUN. 1	SEPT. 1	DEC. 1	MAR. 1	JUN. 1	SEPT. 1	DEC. 1	MAR. 1	JUN. 1	SEPT. 1	DEC. 1
	----- Thousand Bushels -----											
CORN												
2000	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	2,912	1,428	762	2,807	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
2001	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	2,748	1,647	622	3,765	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
WHEAT												
2000	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	1,105	727	3,455	2,144	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
2001	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	1,901	*	2,956	1,030	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
OATS												
2000	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	44	20	122	129	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
2001	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	62	43	86	81	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
SOYBEANS												
2000	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	3,839	*	*	4,714	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
2001	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	3,284	*	*	5,267	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
ALL HAY - ON FARM												
	MAY 1						DECEMBER 1					
	----- Thousand Tons -----											
2000	88						518					
2001	100						448					

^{1/} No estimates available. * Not published to avoid disclosing individual operations. -

NURSERY, FLORICULTURE, HORTICULTURE AND TURFGRASS

NURSERY CROPS

(NOTE: Survey now conducted every two years; next survey: Spring 2003.)

Growers of nursery crops and flowers in South Carolina registered \$255.9 million in cash receipts in 2000, an increase of 28 percent from 1999 and a 42 percent increase from 1998. The website address for a detailed report concerning this survey is:

<http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/reports/nassr/other/nursery/index.html>

FLORICULTURE

Total crop value of all floriculture crops at wholesale for South Carolina growers with \$10,000 or more in sales is estimated at \$90.3 million for 2001, compared with \$85.9 million for 2000. There were 105 growers in 2001 compared with 117 in 2000. Total covered area for floriculture crop production was recorded at 6.61 million square feet, up from the 6.28 million square feet in 2000. Total greenhouse space covered area with 4.85 million square feet, was down from 2000's 5.04 million square feet. Growers with \$100,000 plus in total sales posted a wholesale value of plant production during 2001 of \$78.4 million. The wholesale value of bedding and garden plants totaled \$69.3 million, compared with \$62.4 in 2000. The website address for a detailed report concerning this survey is:

<http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/reports/nassr/other/zfc-bb/index.html>

OTHER WEBSITES WITH HORTICULTURAL DATA

Contributions of the Ornamental Horticulture and Turfgrass Industry to the South Carolina Economy, 1994

<http://cherokee.agecon.clemson.edu/hort-sur.htm>

Contributions of the Ornamental Horticulture and Turfgrass Industry to the South Carolina Economy, 1999

<http://cherokee.agecon.clemson.edu/eer194.pdf>

1998 Census of Horticulture Specialties

<http://www.nass.usda.gov/census/census97/horticulture/horticulture.htm>

1997 Census of Agriculture

South Carolina County Summary Table 33 - Nursery and Greenhouse Crops, Cut Christmas Trees Harvested, and Sod Grown for Sale: 1997 and 1992

<http://www.nass.usda.gov/census/>

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FERTILIZER

Distribution of Commercial Fertilizers by Grades, Materials and Primary Plant Nutrients, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, July 1, 2000 - June 30, 2001 ^{1/}

County	Grand Total (Mixed and Materials)	Total Mixed Fertilizers	Total Materials <u>2/</u>	Total N in Mixed Fertilizer and Materials	Total P ₂ O ₅ in Mixed Fertilizer and Materials	Total K ₂ O in Mixed Fertilizer and Materials
	----- Tons -----					
Abbeville	3,108	2,538	571	524	318	363
Aiken	9,732	6,693	3,040	1,883	571	1,192
Allendale	12,179	4,385	7,794	1,939	772	1,706
Anderson	12,568	6,839	5,729	2,595	1,318	1,431
Bamberg	9,747	4,655	5,092	1,601	485	1,184
Barnwell	3,843	2,305	1,538	613	250	512
Beaufort	8,403	5,129	3,274	739	289	735
Berkeley	2,901	1,663	1,238	383	131	230
Calhoun	11,044	6,384	4,660	1,728	700	1,621
Charleston	10,659	7,167	3,492	1,367	622	952
Cherokee	1,193	1,135	58	196	158	166
Chester	5,383	3,059	2,324	914	403	496
Chesterfield	3,168	1,821	1,347	518	158	459
Clarendon	25,400	8,971	16,429	3,779	1,694	4,026
Colleton	11,304	4,859	6,446	1,666	714	721
Darlington	20,114	11,422	8,692	2,152	1,125	3,198
Dillon						
Dorchester	8,904	3,388	5,516	1,765	1,031	591
Edgefield	5,836	2,203	3,633	1,174	347	939
Fairfield	312	163	171	17	21	
Florence	29,435	12,465	16,970	4,335	1,645	4,899
Georgetown	3,296	2,331	965	516	194	394
Greenville	10,637	7,766	2,871	1,619	804	1,072
Greenwood	2,387	2,031	355	375	262	299
Hampton	6,377	4,166	2,211	709	429	712
Horry	36,233	17,774	18,459	4,060	2,315	4,413
Jasper	346	297	49	50	14	29
Kershaw	1,886	1,332	555	312	154	227
Lancaster	1,501	961	540	257	128	141
Laurens	7,699	5,103	2,597	1,270	566	624
Lee	18,111	4,700	13,411	3,288	1,177	2,740
Lexington	13,543	9,952	3,592	2,381	816	1,764
McCormick	418	343	75	71	39	49
Marion						
Marlboro	11,175	2,538	8,637	1,608	664	1,859
Newberry	9,016	4,458	4,558	2,033	712	1,047
Oconee	2,119	1,656	463	342	194	204
Orangeburg	36,655	16,703	19,953	5,754	2,253	4,554
Pickens	2,422	1,769	652	338	218	234
Richland	8,734	4,609	4,125	1,449	525	775
Saluda	7,546	2,772	4,774	1,115	330	1,837
Spartanburg	13,738	9,921	3,816	2,149	1,206	1,633
Sumter	17,682	9,433	8,249	3,201	2,093	2,041
Union	3,306	2,583	724	636	349	445
Williamsburg	26,517	16,134	10,383	3,195	1,666	3,729
York	9,309	5,268	404	2,307	875	704
Unknown	5,377	962	4,415	272	84	138
STATE ^{3/}	482,794	244,859	237,935	73,075	32,562	61,487

^{1/} This data was taken from the South Carolina Annual Fertilizer Report, Department of Fertilizer and Seed Certification, Clemson University. For any questions you may, contact Chris Ray - 864-646-2140 or email cry@clemson.edu. ^{2/} Includes secondary/micro, organic and miscellaneous materials. Excludes lime. ^{3/} Totals may not add due to rounding.

FARM NUMBERS AND LAND IN FARMS

The number of farms in SOUTH CAROLINA in 2001 is estimated at 24,000, unchanged from 2000. Land in farms in 2001 is estimated at 4.80 million acres, unchanged from 2000 but down 1 percent from 1999.

The number of farms in the UNITED STATES in 2001 is estimated at 2.16 million, down 0.7 percent from 2000. The decline in farms and ranches occurred primarily in agricultural operations with sales in the \$10,000-\$99,999 economic class. The second largest decline since the 1.4 percent drop in 1991. Total land in farms, at 941.2 million acres, declined 0.2 percent or 1.9 million acres from last year. The average size of farm increased 2 acres from 434 in 2000 to 436 acres in 2001.

A **farm** is defined as "any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or normally would be sold during the year." Government payments are included in sales. Institutional farms, experimental and research farms, and Indian Reservations are included as farms. Places with their entire acreage enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program, set aside, or other government programs are

considered operating farms if they receive \$1,000 or more in payments. Operations with 5 or more horses or ponies and no other agricultural sales also counted as farms. Operations with fewer than 5 equine and at least \$1,000 in agricultural sales qualified as farms.

Land in farms is all land operated by farms during the year. It includes crop and livestock acreage, wasteland, woodland, pasture, land in summer fallow, idle cropland, and land enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program and other set aside or commodity acreage programs. It excludes all public, industrial, and grazing association land. It excludes all land operated by establishments not qualifying as farms.

Revision Policy: Farm numbers information is subject to revision the following year and following review of the five-year Census of Agriculture. The 1997 Census of Agriculture for South Carolina counted 20,189 farms. The "coverage total" number of farms was 5,612 resulting in an adjusted Census total of farms of 25,802 with a relative standard error of 3.7 percent. The "coverage total" is defined as the net difference between undercounted and overcounted farms.

Number of Farms and Land in Farms: Economic Sales Class, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1999 - 2001 ^{1/}

Year	Number of Farms		Land in Farms		Number of Farms		Land in Farms	
	\$1,000 - \$9,999		\$10,000 - \$99,999		\$100,000 & Over		Total	
	Number	Thou. Acres	Number	Thou. Acres	Number	Thou. Acres	Number	Thou. Acres
1999	18,700	2,550	4,000	1,150	2,300	1,150	25,000	4,850
2000	17,700	2,500	4,000	1,200	2,300	1,100	24,000	4,800
2001	17,700	2,500	4,100	1,200	2,200	1,100	24,000	4,800

^{1/} Based on the gross value of sales, which includes sales of agricultural products such as crops, livestock, horses, honey, furs, fish, nursery and greenhouse products, rabbits, etc. Government program payments from the previous year are also included.

Number of Farms, Land in Farms, and Average Size, SOUTH CAROLINA and NATION, 1999 - 2001 ^{1/}

Year	South Carolina			United States		
	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size of Farm	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size of Farm
	- Thousand -	- Thou. Acres -	- Acres -	- Thousand -	- Thou. Acres -	- Acres -
1999	25.0	4,850	194	2,192	947,440	432
2000	24.0	4,800	200	2,172	943,090	434
2001 ^{2/}	24.0	4,800	200	2,158	941,210	436

^{1/} A farm is any establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would normally be sold during the year. ^{2/} Preliminary.

CENSUS FARM NUMBERS

Number of Farms, Land in Farms and Average Size, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1992 and 1997

County	1992			1997		
	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size of Farms	Number of Farms	Land in Farms	Average Size of Farms
		----- Acres -----			----- Acres -----	
Abbeville	491	89,935	183	471	81,245	172
Aiken	669	136,565	204	729	134,069	184
Allendale	114	81,257	713	131	91,891	701
Anderson	1,076	160,659	149	1,271	165,896	131
Bamberg	234	87,355	373	254	100,925	397
Barnwell	279	74,733	268	325	97,084	299
Beaufort	120	44,800	373	99	39,147	395
Berkeley	308	51,020	166	292	51,426	176
Calhoun	261	90,995	349	293	102,296	349
Charleston	216	32,392	150	266	44,082	166
Cherokee	388	66,165	171	412	64,770	157
Chester	373	94,193	253	340	80,691	237
Chesterfield	491	109,652	223	537	124,282	231
Clarendon	372	135,766	365	304	142,216	468
Colleton	502	126,370	252	416	154,829	372
Darlington	370	156,853	424	346	158,132	457
Dillon	259	108,848	420	199	91,088	458
Dorchester	321	62,108	193	314	65,333	208
Edgefield	262	68,858	263	271	71,425	264
Fairfield	189	55,712	295	172	46,609	271
Florence	781	194,822	249	615	168,600	274
Georgetown	220	37,287	169	206	53,168	258
Greenville	689	66,809	97	761	70,382	92
Greenwood	385	70,277	183	377	68,065	181
Hampton	242	97,241	402	207	117,387	567
Horry	1,048	195,697	187	896	183,590	205
Jasper	146	72,500	497	123	68,151	554
Kershaw	239	52,978	222	324	72,625	224
Lancaster	444	58,323	131	500	75,181	150
Laurens	666	128,124	192	686	126,761	185
Lee	280	136,151	486	222	119,741	539
Lexington	718	82,634	115	799	93,408	117
McCormick	84	19,486	232	92	20,306	221
Marion	265	78,382	296	200	80,158	401
Marlboro	174	104,862	603	180	116,548	647
Newberry	510	93,970	184	499	94,597	190
Oconee	646	69,897	108	611	66,497	109
Orangeburg	910	262,093	288	965	271,709	282
Pickens	496	44,200	89	532	46,862	88
Richland	339	66,355	196	350	56,579	162
Saluda	584	110,679	190	556	111,376	200
Spartanburg	1,015	107,058	105	1,067	106,937	100
Sumter	406	138,573	341	396	139,411	352
Union	278	55,992	201	255	53,142	208
Williamsburg	705	173,188	246	602	189,415	315
York	677	120,755	178	726	115,420	159
STATE	20,242	4,472,569	221	20,189	4,593,452	228

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Record Highs and Lows Based on Inventory Numbers

SOUTH CAROLINA

Species	Date Series Began	Record	Inventory	Date
All Cattle and Calves, January 1	1867	High Low	750,000 265,000	1977 1896
Milk Cows That Have Calved, January 1 <u>1/</u>	1867	High Low	195,000 20,000	1920 2002
Beef Cows That Have Calved, January 1 <u>1/</u>	1920	High Low	336,000 15,000	1977 1939
All Hogs and Pigs, December 1	1867	High Low	920,000 245,000	1923 1999
Broilers Raised <u>2/</u>	1934	High Low	198,000,000 300,000	2001 1934
Layers-All Flock Types <u>3/</u>	1934	High Low	6,785,000 2,235,000	1980 1938
Turkeys Raised <u>2/</u>	1929	High Low	11,200,000 88,000	1997 1929

1/ Prior to January 1, 1970, definition was milk cows and beef cows 2 years old and over. 2/ Annual number raised rather than inventory. 3/ Annual average number of layers, (December previous year through November current year) rather than inventory. NOTE: In some cases the inventory is identical for more than one year. In such cases, the year shown is the latest year of occurrence.

LIVESTOCK OPERATIONS

FARM NUMBERS: South Carolina 1994- 2001

Year	Total Farms <u>1/</u> in South Carolina	Number of Farms with Cattle and Calves	Number of Farms with Milk Cows	Number of Farms with Beef Cows	Number of Farms with Hogs and Pigs
1994	25,000	14,000	400	13,000	2,500
1995	25,000	14,000	350	13,000	2,000
1996	25,000	12,000	350	11,000	1,600
1997	25,000	11,500	350	10,500	1,300
1998	25,000	11,000	300	10,000	1,000
1999	25,000	11,000	260	10,000	700
2000	24,000	11,000	250	10,000	700
2001	24,000	11,000	240	10,000	700

1/ Starting in 1993, the reference date has been changed from June 1 to include the entire year.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

Number of All Cattle and Calves, by Class, and Inventory Value, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2000-2002

Specie and Class	Number on Farms January 1			Inventory Value, January 1					
				Per Head			Total Value		
	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002	2000	2001	2002
	---- Thou. Head ----			----- Dollars -----			----- Thou. Dollars -----		
All Cattle & Calves	465	445	430	580.00	630.00	630.00	269,700	280,350	270,900
All Cows that have Calved . .	250	240	230	--	--	--	--	--	--
Beef Cows	227	218	210	--	--	--	--	--	--
Milk Cows	23	22	20	--	--	--	--	--	--
Steers 500 lbs. and over	15	14	13	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bulls 500 lbs. and over	19	18	17	--	--	--	--	--	--
Calves under 500 lbs	117	109	111	--	--	--	--	--	--
Heifers 500 lbs. and over	64	64	59	--	--	--	--	--	--
For Beef Cow Replacement	40	42	38	--	--	--	--	--	--
For Milk Cow Replacement	11	10	8	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other Heifers	13	12	13	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cattle on Feed	6	4	4	--	--	--	--	--	--

HOGS AND POULTRY INVENTORY

Number of All Hogs, All Chickens, and Inventory Value, SOUTH CAROLINA, December 1, 1999-2001

Specie and Class	Number on Farms December 1			Inventory Value, December 1					
				Per Head			Total Value		
	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
	----- Thou. Head -----			----- Dollars -----			----- Thou. Dollars -----		
All Hogs and Pigs	245	290	320	63.00	63.00	65.00	15,435	18,270	20,800
All Chickens ^{1/}	5,961	6,946	6,946	2.70	2.20	2.20	16,095	15,281	15,281
Hens & Pullets	4,878	5,293	5,805	--	--	--	--	--	--
State Inventory Value ^{2/}	--	--	--	--	--	--	301,230	313,901	306,981

^{1/} Excludes commercial broilers. ^{2/} Includes cattle, hogs, and chickens.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

ALL CATTLE AND CALVES

The South Carolina cattle industry had a total of 430,000 cattle and calves as of January 1, 2002 with 11,000 cattle farms. There was a total of 210,000 beef cows while a decade ago 232,000 beef cows were on 13,000 farms.

The 2001 calf crop totaled 185,000 head, down 5 percent from 2000 and down 7 percent from 1999. The calving rate for these years was 79.6 percent for 2001 and 79.2 percent for 2000.

South Carolina ranks 38th in the Nation for all cattle and calves, with Texas ranking 1st, Kansas ranks 2nd, Nebraska ranks 3^d and California ranks 4^h. The leading county in South Carolina was Anderson followed by Saluda, Laurens, Newberry, and Spartanburg.

There were 4,000 cattle and calves on feed in South Carolina January 1, 2002, unchanged from 2001 but down 2,000 from 1999.

Inventory Number, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2001 and 2002

County	All Cattle and Calves		County	All Cattle and Calves	
	2001	2002		2001	2002
	----- Head -----			----- Head -----	
Abbeville	16,900	17,800	Hampton	2,800	2,500
Aiken	12,000	11,400	Horry	10,300	10,800
Allendale	4,100	4,700	Jasper	1,000	1,600
Anderson	39,500	38,800	Kershaw	4,300	4,700
Bamberg	7,900	8,100	Lancaster	11,800	11,500
Barnwell	3,300	3,400	Laurens	25,700	24,800
Beaufort	1,200	1,000	Lee	2,300	3,300
Berkeley	2,700	2,300	Lexington	11,900	10,800
Calhoun	2,700	2,900	McCormick	3,400	3,100
Charleston	2,200	2,500	Marion	3,500	3,800
Cherokee	12,400	12,300	Marlboro	2,700	2,700
Chester	12,600	11,800	Newberry	24,100	22,100
Chesterfield	12,800	10,800	Oconee	18,900	17,600
Clarendon	3,300	4,000	Orangeburg	17,800	16,600
Colleton	6,500	5,900	Pickens	10,500	9,800
Darlington	4,600	4,700	Richland	3,500	3,200
Dillon	1,800	1,800	Saluda	27,800	25,400
Dorchester	5,500	5,700	Spartanburg	22,600	21,900
Edgefield	8,500	7,500	Sumter	7,000	5,900
Fairfield	6,100	6,300	Union	8,000	8,100
Florence	4,400	4,400	Williamsburg	4,800	4,400
Georgetown	2,200	1,900	York	20,500	20,600
Greenville	12,700	12,100	STATE	445,000	430,000
Greenwood	13,900	12,700			

Inventory Number, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2001 and 2002

Year	District						
	North-west	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	STATE
	----- Head -----						
January 1, 2001	150,300	55,300	47,100	106,600	48,500	37,200	445,000
January 1, 2002	145,400	54,900	45,300	100,000	46,700	37,700	430,000

**LIVESTOCK INVENTORY
ALL BEEF COWS THAT HAVE CALVED**

Number Calved , by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2001 and 2002

County	All Beef Cows that have Calved		County	All Beef Cows that have Calved	
	2001	2002		2001	2002
	----- Head -----			----- Head -----	
Abbeville	9,400	9,700	Hampton	1,500	1,500
Aiken	6,200	5,900	Horry	5,300	5,600
Allendale	1,300	1,400	Jasper	500	800
Anderson	19,500	19,000	Kershaw	2,900	2,900
Bamberg	2,300	2,200	Lancaster	6,300	6,000
Barnwell	2,000	2,000	Laurens	13,100	12,600
Beaufort	500	500	Lee	1,100	1,500
Berkeley	1,400	1,300	Lexington	6,300	5,700
Calhoun	1,600	1,500	McCormick	1,900	1,700
Charleston	1,300	1,500	Marion	2,300	2,500
Cherokee	6,300	6,300	Marlboro	1,500	1,500
Chester	6,500	6,100	Newberry	9,500	8,600
Chesterfield	6,900	5,900	Oconee	9,800	9,400
Clarendon	1,700	2,000	Orangeburg	4,700	4,300
Colleton	3,600	3,200	Pickens	5,800	5,500
Darlington	1,800	1,800	Richland	1,800	1,600
Dillon	1,000	1,000	Saluda	13,200	12,200
Dorchester	2,200	2,200	Spartanburg	10,700	10,300
Edgefield	4,500	4,000	Sumter	2,100	1,800
Fairfield	3,200	3,000	Union	4,300	4,300
Florence	2,200	2,200	Williamsburg	2,700	2,500
Georgetown	1,100	1,000	York	9,900	10,000
Greenville	6,800	6,600	STATE	218,000	210,000
Greenwood	7,500	6,900			

Number Calved, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2001 and 2002

Year	District						
	North-west	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	STATE
	----- Head -----						
January 1, 2001	76,300	28,800	24,800	52,200	19,300	16,600	218,000
January 1, 2002	74,000	28,000	24,000	49,000	18,400	16,600	210,000

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

CATTLE AND CALVES

Inventory, Supply and Disposition, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1996 - 2001 ^{1/}

Year	Inventory Jan. 1	Calf Crop	Inship- ments	Marketings ^{2/}		Farm Slaughter ^{3/}	Deaths	
				Cattle	Calves	Cattle & Calves	Cattle	Calves
----- Thousand Head -----								
1996	520	220	10	175	37	3	10	15
1997	510	205	4	175	36	3	10	15
1998	480	205	4	151	31	3	9	15
1999	480	200	4	161	31	3	9	15
2000	465	195	4	166	32	3	7	11
2001	445	185	4	162	25	2	6	9

^{1/} Balance sheet estimates. The sum of inventory January 1, calf crop and inshipments is equal to the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths and inventory January 1 the following year. ^{2/} Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and State outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the State. ^{3/} Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

Production and Income, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1996 - 2001

Year	Production ^{1/}	Marketings ^{2/}	Average Price Per 100 Pounds		Value of Production	Cash Receipts ^{3/}	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
			Cattle	Calves				
-- Thousand Pounds -- --- Dollars --- ----- Thousand Dollars -----								
1996	184,420	191,300	40.60	47.40	75,959	78,769	2,949	81,718
1997	176,130	191,450	54.00	76.50	97,642	106,533	4,293	110,826
1998	170,288	167,150	52.40	74.60	92,251	90,251	4,045	94,296
1999	172,325	177,850	58.00	82.20	102,609	106,057	4,611	110,668
2000	176,237	183,600	68.80	101.00	124,322	130,310	5,503	135,813
2001	172,647	182,300	69.20	98.00	122,440	128,916	4,060	132,976

^{1/} Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. ^{2/} Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State. ^{3/} Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Number on Feed, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 1991 - 2002 ^{1/}

Year	Number Head	Year	Number Head	Year	Number Head	Year	Number Head
1991	16,000	1994	10,000	1997	6,000	2000	6,000
1992	15,000	1995	7,000	1998	7,000	2001	4,000
1993	14,000	1996	8,000	1999	6,000	2002	4,000

^{1/} Cattle and calves on feed are animals being fed a ration of grain, silage, hay and/or protein supplement for slaughter market that are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better. It excludes cattle being "backgrounded only" for later sale as feeders or later placement in another feedlot. Cattle and calves on feed are included in the cattle and calf inventory estimates by classes.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

ALL MILK COWS THAT HAVE CALVED

Number Calved, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2001 and 2002

County	All Milk Cows that have Calved		County	All Milk Cows that have Calved	
	2001	2002		2001	2002
	----- Head -----			----- Head -----	
Anderson	1,250	1,100	Orangeburg	4,500	3,850
Bamberg	1,300	1,050	Saluda	1,500	1,350
Chester	700	700	Spartanburg	2,000	1,900
Edgefield	700	700	York	950	950
Greenville	700	<u>1</u> /			
Laurens	1,200	1,200	Other Counties <u>1</u> /	2,500	2,850
Newberry	4,700	4,350	STATE	22,000	20,000

1/ Other counties not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

Number Calved, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 2001 and 2002

Year	District						STATE
	North-west	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	
	----- Head -----						
January 1, 2001	5,600	1,900	<u>1</u> /	7,300	5,400	<u>1</u> /	22,000
January 1, 2002	5,300	1,850	<u>1</u> /	6,800	4,650	<u>1</u> /	20,000

1/ Other districts not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

Number Calved, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 1983 - 2002

Year	Number	Year	Number	Year	Number	Year	Number
1983	48,000	1988	38,000	1993	30,000	1998	25,000
1984	47,000	1989	38,000	1994	28,000	1999	24,000
1985	46,000	1990	36,000	1995	28,000	2000	23,000
1986	45,000	1991	34,000	1996	26,000	2001	22,000
1987	41,000	1992	33,000	1997	26,000	2002	20,000

MILK PRODUCTION

There were an estimated 240 farms with one or more dairy cows in South Carolina during 2001 with an average 21,000 milk cows which produced 367 million pounds of milk. In 2000, the State had 250 farms with an average of 23,000 milk cows that produced 370 million pounds of milk. A decade ago in 1991, there were an estimated 800 farms with an average 33,000 milk cows that produced 405 million pounds of milk. South Carolina ranks 39th in the Nation for average milk cows, California ranks 1st, Wisconsin 2nd and New York 3rd. Newberry is the leading county with 4,600 milk cows, followed by Orangeburg, Spartanburg, and Saluda.

The 2001 milk production was 1percent below 2000 and 1999. The annual average milk per cow at 17,476 pounds compares with 16,087 pounds in 2000 and 15,375 pounds in 1999. Farm value of milk produced, which includes value of fluid milk and cream consumed in farm households, milk used for farm-churned butter, milk fed to calves, as well as marketings of milk and cream totaled \$60,555,000 in 2001 compared with \$52,170,000 in 2000, and \$60,147,000 in 1999. The average price of milk in 2001 was \$16.50 per cwt. compared with \$14.10 in 2000, and \$16.30 in 1999.

Average Number of Cows Milked during Year, Production per Cow, and Total Production, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Average Number Cows Milked during Year		Milk Production per Cow ^{1/}		Total Milk Production	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- Head -----		----- Pounds -----		--- Thou. Lbs. ---	
Anderson	1,300	1,150	16,175	17,664	21,027	20,314
Bamberg	1,400	1,150	15,226	17,303	21,317	19,898
Chester	700	700	16,799	17,876	11,759	12,513
Edgefield	700	700	16,494	17,750	11,546	12,425
Greenville	700	<u>2/</u>	16,279	<u>2/</u>	11,395	<u>2/</u>
Laurens	1,300	1,200	15,150	16,733	19,695	20,080
Newberry	4,950	4,600	15,776	17,987	78,092	82,741
Orangeburg	4,500	4,100	17,154	17,598	77,191	72,150
Saluda	1,650	1,400	15,033	17,599	24,805	24,638
Spartanburg	2,000	2,000	16,925	17,799	33,849	35,598
York	950	950	16,533	17,449	15,706	16,577
Other Counties ^{2/}	2,850	3,050	15,305	16,415	43,618	50,066
STATE	23,000	21,000	16,087	17,476	370,000	367,000

^{1/} Milk production per cow includes all milk produced (excluding milk sucked by calves) divided by average number of cows milked (including milk cows used only for subsistence and milk cows that are dry). ^{2/} Other counties not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

MILK PRODUCTION

Average Number of Cows Milked during Year and Total Production by District, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

Year	District						STATE
	North- west	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	
2000							
Cows Milked Head	5,800	1,900	<u>1/</u>	7,800	5,600	<u>1/</u>	23,000
Production . . . Thou. Lbs.	93,537	31,206	<u>1/</u>	122,349	94,092	<u>1/</u>	370,000
2001							
Cows Milked Head	5,500	1,900	<u>1/</u>	7,100	5,000	<u>1/</u>	21,000
Production . . . Thou. Lbs.	95,385	33,342	<u>1/</u>	126,372	85,929	<u>1/</u>	367,000

1/ Other districts not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

Average Number of Cows Milked during Year, Production, and Marketings, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1994 - 2001

Year	Average Number of Cows Milked	Production of Milk		Marketings of Milk & Cream		
		Production Per Cow <u>1/</u>	Milk Production	Milk Utilized	Average Returns Per Cwt.	Cash Receipts from Marketing
	- Thou. Head -	- Pounds -	----- Thou. Lbs. -----		- Dollars -	- Thou. Dol.-
1994	28	14,679	411,000	407,000	14.93	60,745
1995	27	14,481	391,000	388,000	14.25	55,303
1996	26	14,654	381,000	378,000	16.45	62,185
1997	26	15,269	397,000	394,000	14.61	57,565
1998	25	14,960	374,000	371,000	16.50	61,215
1999	24	15,375	369,000	366,000	16.30	59,658
2000	23	16,087	370,000	367,000	14.10	51,747
2001	21	17,476	367,000	364,000	16.50	60,060

1/ Milk production per cow includes all milk produced (excluding milk sucked by calves) divided by all milk cows (including milk cows used only for subsistence and milk cows that are dry).

MANUFACTURED DAIRY PRODUCTS

No South Carolina data was published for Manufactured Dairy Products, which includes Blue Cheese, Ice Cream Mix, Lowfat Ice Cream Mix, Sherbet Mix, and Frozen Yogurt Mix for the years 2000 and 2001. There were 4 plants in operation during the year 2001 unchanged from 2000. State data is not published when fewer than 3 plants report a commodity or if individual plant operations could be disclosed.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

HOGS AND PIGS

SOUTH CAROLINA had an estimated swine population of 320,000 on December 1, 2001, up 30,000 from the previous year. This level ranks South Carolina 21st in the Nation.

The number of operations with hogs (an operation is any place having one or more hogs and pigs on hand anytime during the year) at 700 during 2001, was unchanged from 2000 and 1999.

Inventory Number, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, December 1, 2000 and 2001

County	All Hogs and Pigs		County	All Hogs and Pigs	
	2000	2001		2000	2001
	---- Head ----			---- Head ----	
Abbeville	1/	1/	Hampton	600	700
Aiken	1,200	1,600	Horry	1/	1/
Allendale	1/	1/	Jasper	1/	1/
Anderson	1/	1/	Kershaw	1/	1/
Bamberg	3,500	2,500	Lancaster	1/	1/
Barnwell	900	700	Laurens	1/	1/
Beaufort	1/	1/	Lee	1/	1/
Berkeley	1,800	1,300	Lexington	1,700	1,600
Calhoun	5,000	4,500	McCormick	--	--
Charleston	1/	1/	Marion	1/	1/
Cherokee	1/	1/	Marlboro	1/	1/
Chester	1/	1/	Newberry	7,000	6,000
Chesterfield	1/	1/	Oconee	1/	1/
Clarendon	26,000	28,000	Orangeburg	30,000	32,000
Colleton	3,000	2,700	Pickens	1/	1/
Darlington	1/	1/	Richland	700	600
Dillon	1/	1/	Saluda	1/	1/
Dorchester	3,000	2,600	Spartanburg	1/	1/
Edgefield	1/	1/	Sumter	1,500	1,400
Fairfield	--	1/	Union	1/	1/
Florence	1/	1/	Williamsburg	1/	1/
Georgetown	1/	1/	York	1/	1/
Greenville	1/	1/	Other Counties	204,100	230,300
Greenwood	1/	1/	STATE	290,000	320,000

1/ Included in other counties; not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

Inventory Number, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, December 1, 2000 and 2001

Year	District						STATE
	North-west	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	
	----- Head -----						
December 1, 2000	1/	1/	1/	9,600	65,300	13,600	290,000
December 1, 2001	1/	1/	1/	9,200	68,500	12,000	320,000

1/ Not published due to established agency guidelines.

LIVESTOCK INVENTORY

Number of Hogs and Pigs, Pig Crop, and Disposition, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1996 - 2001 ^{1/}

Year	Number Hogs & Pigs on Farms Dec. 1	December - November ^{2/}			Inshipments ^{4/}	Marketings ^{5/}	Farm Slaughter ^{6/}	Deaths
		Sows Farrowed	Pigs per Litter ^{3/}	Pig Crop				
----- Thousand Head -----								
1996	295	78	8.29	647	60	732	5	25
1997	305	73	8.32	607	85	653	4	25
1998	270	68	8.21	558	70	635	3	25
1999	245	55	8.78	483	60	541	2	25
2000	290	53	8.81	467	75	465	2	30
2001	320	55	8.87	488	42	483	2	25

^{1/} Balance sheet estimates. The sum of December 1 inventory (previous year) plus pig crop (Dec.-Nov.) and inshipments for the current year is equal to the sum of marketings, farm slaughter, deaths, and inventory December 1, the following year. ^{2/} December previous year. ^{3/} Pigs per litter equal pigs saved divided by sows farrowed. ^{4/} Excludes inshipments direct to Federal Inspected slaughter plants. ^{5/} Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and State outshipments, but excludes interfarm sales within the State. ^{6/} Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

Production and Income, by Years, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1996 - 2001

Year	Production ^{1/}	Marketings ^{2/}	Value of Production ^{3/}	Cash Receipts ^{3/ 4/}	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
----- Thou. Pounds -----			----- Thousand Dollars -----			
1996	131,665	137,960	65,663	69,828	1,419	71,247
1997	124,390	124,700	62,387	64,158	1,298	65,456
1998	116,587	121,330	38,830	41,188	800	41,988
1999	100,728	104,850	29,538	31,351	645	31,996
2000	92,668	89,650	37,977	37,827	906	38,733
2001	98,454	92,650	42,810	41,033	915	41,948

^{1/} Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments. ^{2/} Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State. ^{3/} Includes allowance for higher average price of state inshipments and outshipments of feeder pigs. ^{4/} Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Number of Hogs and Pigs for Breeding and Market Hogs and Pigs by Weight Class, SOUTH CAROLINA, December 1, 1996 - 2001

Year	Hogs and Pigs on Farms			Market Hogs and Pigs by Weight Class			
	For Breeding	For Market	All Hogs	Under 60 Lbs.	60-119 Lbs.	120-179 Lbs.	180 Lbs. & Over
----- Thousand Head -----							
1996	35	260	295	95	68	53	44
1997	35	270	305	90	70	60	50
1998	30	240	270	70	65	55	50
1999	25	220	245	57	62	55	46
2000	25	265	290	75	70	60	60
2001	30	290	320	75	70	65	80

EGG PRODUCTION

SOUTH CAROLINA egg production in 2001 totaled 1.42 billion eggs from an average 5,585,000 layers. This is 14 percent above the 1.25 billion eggs produced in 2000 and 17 percent above the 1.22 produced in 1999.

The average number of layers on hand during 2001 was 5,585,000, up 12 percent from the 4,974,000 on hand in 2000 and 14 percent above 1999's 4,908,000 layers. The annual average rate of lay per layer

(including breeders) was 254 eggs in 2001 and 250 in 2000, and 248 in 1999.

South Carolina ranked 17th in the nation for egg production in 2001 with Iowa 1st, Georgia 6th, and North Carolina 11th. Within the State, Newberry County ranked 1st followed by Kershaw, Darlington, Saluda, and Lexington counties.

**Average Number of Layers, Rate of Lay, and Egg Production, by Counties,
SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001**

County	Average Number Layers during Year		Rate of Lay per Layer during Year		Total Egg Production	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	--- Thou. Head ---		--- Eggs ---		--- Thou. Eggs ---	
Abbeville	110	105	279	261	30,700	27,400
Aiken	125	125	226	232	28,200	29,000
Anderson	36	1/	272	1/	9,800	1/
Barnwell	95	150	252	237	23,900	35,600
Berkeley	33	29	309	290	10,200	8,400
Chester	63	63	230	222	14,500	14,000
Chesterfield	50	41	230	222	11,500	9,100
Clarendon	17	23	194	217	3,300	5,000
Colleton	22	34	205	244	4,500	8,300
Darlington	625	700	243	262	151,700	183,100
Dorchester	125	138	206	220	25,700	30,400
Edgefield	47	47	226	232	10,600	10,900
Florence	17	16	200	219	3,400	3,500
Greenwood	280	250	246	259	68,800	64,800
Kershaw	1,060	1,058	275	257	291,100	272,200
Laurens	105	107	246	259	25,800	27,700
Lexington	350	345	237	240	83,000	82,800
Newberry	830	1,215	245	259	203,700	315,000
Oconee	280	274	279	261	78,100	71,600
Orangeburg	130	165	195	219	25,400	36,100
Saluda	565	675	245	258	138,700	174,300
Other Counties 2/	9	25	267	272	2,400	6,800
STATE	4,974	5,585	250	254	1,245,000	1,416,000

1/ Included in other counties. 2/ Other counties not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

Average Number of Layers and Egg Production, by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

Year and Commodity	District						State
	North West	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	
2000							
No. Layers . . . Thou. Head	425	1,124	694	1,957	499	275	4,974
Production . . . Thou. Eggs	114,800	305,800	167,100	480,700	112,300	64,300	1,245,000
2001							
No. Layers . . . Thou. Head	387	1,124	763	2,417	537	357	5,585
Production . . . Thou. Eggs	100,900	286,900	197,400	621,400	125,100	84,300	1,416,000

LAYERS AND EGG PRODUCTION

Number of Layers, Eggs per 100 Layers, and Egg Production, by Months, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1995 - 2001

Item & Month	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	----- Thousand Head -----						
ALL LAYERS: <u>1/</u>							
December <u>2/</u>	5,088	4,678	4,888	4,705	4,667	4,764	5,287
January	5,035	4,703	4,913	4,731	4,773	4,606	5,357
February	5,049	4,808	4,816	4,700	4,917	4,624	5,522
March	5,075	4,781	4,701	4,752	4,866	4,879	5,442
April	5,065	4,681	4,716	4,696	4,967	4,986	5,450
May	5,040	4,723	4,608	4,637	5,203	5,031	5,699
June	4,841	4,675	4,691	4,572	5,139	5,126	5,687
July	4,706	4,598	4,779	4,529	4,968	5,177	5,697
August	4,715	4,660	4,674	4,560	4,910	5,225	5,772
September	4,748	4,718	4,795	4,544	4,790	5,067	5,637
October	4,851	4,705	4,789	4,579	4,817	5,011	5,667
November	4,809	4,763	4,667	4,676	4,881	5,183	5,809
ANNUAL AVERAGE <u>3/</u>	4,918	4,707	4,753	4,640	4,908	4,974	5,585
	----- Eggs -----						
EGGS PER 100 LAYERS:							
December <u>2/</u>	2,221	2,266	2,209	2,210	1,971	2,204	2,156
January	2,244	2,148	2,056	2,156	1,948	2,084	2,035
February	2,020	1,913	1,910	1,957	1,851	1,925	1,847
March	2,207	2,175	2,191	2,189	2,076	2,050	2,113
April	2,152	2,179	2,120	2,129	2,033	2,006	2,037
May	2,222	2,181	2,192	2,157	2,114	2,067	2,071
June	2,190	2,053	2,132	2,078	2,082	1,970	2,040
July	2,231	2,175	2,176	2,186	2,134	2,028	2,159
August	2,206	2,232	2,246	2,149	2,159	2,124	2,148
September	2,148	2,183	2,169	2,113	2,150	2,171	2,111
October	2,206	2,274	2,234	2,162	2,138	2,235	2,329
November	2,163	2,225	2,207	2,096	2,090	2,161	2,290
EGGS PER LAYER <u>4/</u>	262	260	258	256	248	250	254
	----- Million Eggs -----						
EGGS PRODUCED:							
December <u>2/</u>	113	106	108	104	92	105	114
January	113	101	101	102	93	96	109
February	102	92	92	94	91	89	102
March	112	104	103	104	101	100	115
April	109	102	100	100	101	100	111
May	112	103	101	100	110	104	118
June	106	96	100	95	107	101	116
July	105	100	104	99	106	105	123
August	104	104	105	98	106	111	124
September	102	103	104	96	103	110	119
October	107	107	107	99	103	112	132
November	104	106	103	98	102	112	133
ANNUAL TOTAL	1,289	1,224	1,228	1,189	1,215	1,245	1,416

1/ Average number on hand during month. 2/ December of previous year. 3/ Average number during year. 4/ Annual rate of lay per layer on hand (eggs produced during year divided by average number of layers during year).

BROILERS RAISED

SOUTH CAROLINA broiler producers raised 198,000,000 broilers in 2001. This is 1 percent more than 2000 and 4 percent more than 1999. Pounds produced totaled 1,049,400,000 in 2001, up 5 percent from 2000. The average price received for broilers in 2001 was 39.0 cents per pound liveweight equivalent, up 6.0 cents from 2000, and up 2.0 cents from 1999. Value of production, which includes home consumption, was \$409,266,000, up 24 percent from

2000's \$331,221,000 and 20 percent above 1999's \$341,880,000.

On a county wide basis during 2001, Lexington, Aiken, Oconee, Clarendon, and Sumter, were the leading broiler-producing counties in the State. South Carolina ranks 13th in the Nation with Georgia holding the top and Arkansas placing 2nd, Alabama 3rd, Mississippi 4th, and North Carolina 5th.

Number Raised and Pounds Produced, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Number Raised		Pounds Produced	
	2000	2001	2000	2001
	--- Thousand Head ---		--- Thousand Pounds ---	
Aiken	29,518	28,474	150,542	150,912
Anderson	2,325	2,279	11,858	12,079
Calhoun	1,418	1,351	7,232	7,160
Chesterfield	5,072	4,364	25,867	23,129
Clarendon	17,167	15,578	87,552	82,563
Darlington	2,822	3,706	14,392	19,642
Dillon	9,056	9,662	46,186	51,209
Dorchester	3,639	4,185	18,559	22,181
Edgefield	2,344	2,315	11,954	12,270
Florence	1,551	1,358	7,910	7,197
Horry	2,898	1,870	14,780	9,911
Kershaw	1,879	2,008	9,583	10,642
Laurens	1,644	2,457	8,384	13,022
Lee	7,013	6,640	35,766	35,192
Lexington	37,703	38,303	192,285	203,006
Marion	2,898	2,493	14,780	13,213
Marlboro	5,057	5,610	25,791	29,733
Newberry	1,162	1,105	5,926	5,856
Oconee	26,220	25,517	133,742	135,240
Orangeburg	9,894	12,235	50,459	64,846
Richland	979	609	4,993	3,228
Saluda	12,966	11,204	66,127	59,381
Sumter	9,494	12,514	48,419	66,324
Williamsburg	2,081	2,163	10,613	11,464
STATE	196,800	198,000	1,003,700	1,049,400

Number Raised, Disposition and Value of Production, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1997 - 2001 ^{1/}

Year	Number Raised	Avg. Liveweight per Broiler	Pounds Produced	Price per Pound ^{2/}	Value of Production ^{3/}
	-- Thou. Head --	-- Pounds --	-- Thou. Lbs. --	-- Cents --	-- Thou. Dollars --
1997	182,800	4.5	829,900	38.5	319,512
1998	180,500	4.7	848,400	39.5	335,118
1999	191,300	4.8	924,000	37.0	341,880
2000	196,800	5.1	1,003,700	33.0	331,221
2001	198,000	5.3	1,049,400	39.0	409,266

^{1/} Twelve month period beginning with December of previous year. ^{2/} Liveweight equivalent price. ^{3/} Gross income received for the production of broilers. Includes home consumption which is less than 1 percent of total production.

TURKEYS RAISED

Turkeys raised in SOUTH CAROLINA during 2001 totaled 9,200,000 birds, 7 percent below the 9,900,000 birds raised in 2000, and down 3 percent from the 9,500,000 raised in 1999.

Value of production was \$127,015,000 during 2001, 10 percent less than 2000, and down 7 percent from 1999. During 2001 the average price received was 39.0 cents per pound, down 3 cents from 2000 and 1999.

Number Raised and Pounds Produced, by Counties, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

County	Number Raised		Pounds Produced	
	2000	2001	2000	2001
	---- Thousand Head ----		---- Thousand Pounds ----	
Chester	444	384	15,007	13,594
Chesterfield	1,332	1,379	45,022	48,817
Darlington	269	293	9,092	10,372
Fairfield	629	524	21,260	18,550
Kershaw	2,760	2,338	93,288	82,765
Lancaster	1,815	1,687	61,347	59,720
Laurens	148	141	5,002	4,991
Lee	734	620	24,809	21,948
Newberry	722	704	24,404	24,922
Saluda	171	153	5,780	5,416
Spartanburg	92	86	3,110	3,044
Sumter	624	663	21,091	23,470
York	160	228	5,408	8,071
STATE	9,900	9,200	334,620	325,680

Number Raised by Districts, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001

Year	District						STATE
	North-west	North Central	Eastern	West Central	Central	Southern	
	----- Thousand Head -----						
2000	240	5,808	1,601	893	1,358	--	9,900
2001	227	5,161	1,672	857	1,283	--	9,200

Number Raised, Disposition, and Value of Production, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1997 - 2001

Year	Number Raised	Average Liveweight	Pounds Produced	Price per Pound	Value of Production
	-- Thou. Head --	-- Pounds --	-- Thou. Lbs. --	-- Cents --	-- Thou. Dollars --
1997	11,200	32.9	368,480	39.0	143,707
1998	10,600	33.6	356,160	38.0	135,341
1999	9,500	34.3	325,850	42.0	136,857
2000	9,900	33.8	334,620	42.0	140,540
2001	9,200	35.4	325,680	39.0	127,015

CATFISH PRODUCTION

SOUTH CAROLINA catfish growers had an estimated 520 surface acres of water in commercial operations on January 1, 2002, down from January 1, 2001 and 2000. The value of sales of all foodsize catfish (large, medium and small categories) on commercial operations during 2001 totaled \$893,000, up 18 percent from the \$755,000 in 2000. This level ranks South

Carolina 11th in terms of foodsize catfish sales while Mississippi is in 1st place, Alabama 2nd, Arkansas 3^d, and Louisiana 4th. The average price per pound for all foodsize catfish in 2001 was \$0.62 compared with \$0.77 in 2000. The number of commercial catfish operations on January 1, 2002 was estimated at 15, up 1 operation from 2001, but down 4 from 2000.

Number of Operations and Water Surface Acreage, SOUTH CAROLINA, January 1, 1998 - 2002

Item	Unit	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Operations	Number	20	15	19	14	15
Water Surface Area	Acres	1,100	800	760	530	520

Number, Weight, and Value of Sales, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2000 and 2001 Preliminary

Commodity	Number Sold		Pounds Sold		Value of Sales		Avg. Value per Pound	
	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001	2000	2001
	----- 1,000 -----				--- 1,000 Dollars ---		--- Dollars ---	
All Food size	890	1,380	980	1,440	755	893	0.77	0.62
All Stockers	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
Broodfish	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
Fingerlings & Fry	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>

1/ Not published separately due to established agency guidelines.

COMMERCIAL SLAUGHTER

LIVESTOCK

Commercial Red Meat Production, SOUTH CAROLINA 2000 and 2001 ^{1/}

Month	2000	2001	Month	2000	2001
--- Thousand Pounds ---			--- Thousand Pounds ---		
January	17,200	20,600	August	18,700	19,600
February	17,500	18,700	September	17,200	17,300
March	17,600	19,800	October	20,300	22,100
April	17,600	18,400	November	19,600	20,300
May	19,000	19,300	December	19,000	19,600
June	18,600	17,800	STATE	218,700	231,600
July	16,300	18,200			

^{1/} Includes total beef, veal, pork, and lamb and mutton, excluding farm slaughter.

POULTRY

YOUNG CHICKENS

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection, by Months, SOUTH CAROLINA 2000 and 2001

Month	Number Inspected		Pounds Inspected (Live Weight)		Average Live Weight Inspected ^{1/}	
	2000 ^{2/}	2001	2000 ^{2/}	2001	2000 ^{2/}	2001
	-- Thousand Head --		-- Thousand Pounds --		----- Pounds -----	
January	17,575	20,069	88,565	106,831	5.04	5.32
February	18,198	16,862	90,859	89,725	4.99	5.32
March	19,748	20,033	100,967	104,307	5.11	5.21
April	18,383	17,527	92,335	92,285	5.02	5.27
May	21,711	20,792	109,254	109,033	5.03	5.24
June	20,599	19,638	102,852	101,761	4.99	5.18
July	18,024	19,835	89,371	105,174	4.96	5.30
August	19,818	20,006	98,372	106,746	4.96	5.34
September	17,794	18,379	90,420	95,110	5.08	5.17
October	19,172	19,614	102,530	104,354	5.35	5.32
November	17,753	16,519	93,306	90,401	5.26	5.47
December	17,782	18,192	93,731	100,089	5.27	5.50

^{1/} Average weight based on unrounded data. ^{2/} Revised.

SOUTH CAROLINA CASH RECEIPTS

Preliminary cash receipts from farm marketings in South Carolina during 2001, including government payments, totaled \$1,794,033,000. The \$1.8 billion is 7 percent (\$112 million) above 2000 and 15 percent (\$240 million) above 1999. Government payments for 2001 were 10 percent below 2000, but 2 percent above 1999. The number one commodity in terms of cash receipts during 2001 was broilers, accounting for 25 percent of the total, excluding government payments.

CROPS cash receipts, at \$781 million, accounted for 47 percent of the total commodity cash receipts during 2001 compared with 48 percent in 2000 and 46 percent in 1999. Preliminary 2001 crops cash receipts increased \$37 million from 2000 and were \$129 million above 1999. Greenhouse, nursery & floriculture, tobacco and cotton were the top three crop commodities in 2001 in terms of cash receipts.

LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS, with cash receipts of \$882 million in 2001, accounting for 53 percent of the commodity total, increased 11 percent from 2000 and were 14 percent above 1999. Broilers, cattle and calves, and turkeys were the top three commodities.

CASH RECEIPTS

Farm Marketings Top Ten Commodities, SOUTH CAROLINA, 2001 Preliminary, with Rank

Commodity	Cash Receipts	Percent of Total	Rank in State	
			2001	2000
	-- Thou. Dollars --			
Broilers	409,272	24.6	1	1
Greenhouse, Nursery, & Floriculture	265,307	15.9	2	2
Tobacco	131,232	7.9	3	3
Cattle and Calves	128,916	7.7	4	5
Turkeys	127,015	7.6	5	4
Cotton Lint / Seed	109,657	6.6	6	6
Eggs	79,532	4.8	7	7
Vegetables	72,923	4.4	8	8
Milk Production	60,060	3.6	9	9
Soybeans	43,870	2.6	10	10
Other Crops ^{1/}	158,414	9.5	--	--
Other Livestock and Livestock Products ^{2/}	77,548	4.7	--	--
STATE	1,663,746	--	--	--

^{1/} Peanuts, hay, oats, wheat, sweetpotatoes, peaches, pecans, apples, other fruits and nuts, tea, minor seed crops, miscellaneous field crops, and forest products. ^{2/} Farm chickens, milk, other poultry, sheep and wool, goats and goats' milk, aquaculture, honey and beeswax, horses, lambs, and miscellaneous.

CASH RECEIPTS

Farm Marketings by Commodity and Government Payments SOUTH CAROLINA, 1999 - 2001

Commodity	1999 <u>1/</u>	2000 <u>1/</u>	2001 <u>2/</u>
	----- Thousand Dollars -----		
FIELD CROPS:			
Corn	23,206	29,105	41,924
Cotton Lint	79,341	68,220	103,373
Cottonseed	5,012	6,849	6,284
Hay	15,840	10,904	8,820
Oats	1,202	1,990	1,532
Peanuts	6,755	7,493	7,864
Soybeans	45,165	44,980	43,870
Tobacco	131,117	167,901	131,232
Wheat	21,941	21,884	27,302
VEGETABLES :			
Cucumbers, Fresh	2,679	2,475	3,777
Cucumbers, Processing	1,133	1,994	3,234
Snap Beans, Fresh	1,404	1,209	1,590
Sweetpotatoes	832	729	604
Tomatoes, Fresh	18,216	20,332	23,501
Watermelons	8,275	7,650	7,900
Minor Vegetables, Federal Program <u>3/</u>	--	22,926	22,947
Other Vegetables	29,682	8,852	9,370
FRUITS AND NUTS :			
Apples	4,110	2,063	373
Peaches	26,536	28,594	36,098
Pecans	2,187	1,700	2,290
Other Fruits and Nuts <u>4/</u>	3,338	3,671	5,400
MISCELLANEOUS CROPS :			
Forest Products <u>5/</u>	17,200	20,000	21,100
Greenhouse, Nursery and Floriculture	200,648	257,363	265,307
Other Crops <u>6/</u>	6,201	5,883	5,711
TOTAL CROPS	652,020	744,767	781,403
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS :			
Broilers	341,880	331,221	409,272
Cattle and Calves	106,057	130,310	128,916
Eggs	65,205	66,608	79,532
Farm Chickens	1,191	1,684	760
Hogs <u>7/</u>	31,351	37,827	41,033
Milk	59,658	51,747	60,060
Turkeys	136,857	140,540	127,015
Other Poultry <u>8/</u>	11,850	12,450	12,950
Other Livestock <u>9/</u>	20,296	20,515	22,805
TOTAL LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS	774,345	792,902	882,343
TOTAL COMMODITIES	1,426,365	1,537,669	1,663,746
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS	127,788	144,499	130,287
STATE	1,554,153	1,682,168	1,794,033

1/ Revised. 2/ Preliminary. 3/ Includes collards, lima beans, kale, mustard, squash, turnips, and cantaloups. 4/ Berries, grapes and other fruit. 5/ Includes only value of forest products sold from farms, based primarily on Census of Agriculture data. 6/ Tea, minor seed crops, other miscellaneous field crops. 7/ Data differs from Meat Animals, PDI due to the reference date. 8/ Squab, pigeons, quail and other poultry. 9/ Sheep, goats, minor seafood, horses, miscellaneous.

CASH RECEIPTS
Farm Marketings of Crops, Livestock and Livestock Products, with Rank,
SOUTH CAROLINA, by Counties, 2000 Revised

County	Crops	Livestock and Livestock Products	Total Crops and Livestock	Rank in the State
	----- Thousand Dollars -----			
Abbeville	1,098	7,954	9,052	41
Aiken	5,516	55,821	61,337	9
Allendale	6,978	1,472	8,450	43
Anderson	9,807	20,140	29,947	21
Bamberg	7,630	5,895	13,525	33
Barnwell	6,232	2,551	8,783	42
Beaufort	11,261	579	11,840	37
Berkeley	18,578	2,517	21,095	27
Calhoun	9,638	4,187	13,825	32
Charleston	61,795	1,723	63,518	7
Cherokee	5,735	3,944	9,679	40
Chester	2,438	12,691	15,129	30
Chesterfield	7,490	32,119	39,609	18
Clarendon	27,135	33,562	60,697	10
Colleton	8,735	3,004	11,739	38
Darlington	31,957	19,044	51,001	14
Dillon	29,014	26,987	56,001	12
Dorchester	12,222	10,213	22,435	26
Edgefield	8,243	8,966	17,209	29
Fairfield	1,019	11,792	12,811	36
Florence	60,953	4,688	65,641	6
Georgetown	10,843	2,052	12,895	35
Greenville	24,094	6,135	30,229	20
Greenwood	4,451	8,602	13,053	34
Hampton	8,420	2,736	11,156	39
Horry	63,502	16,607	80,109	2
Jasper	950	826	1,776	45
Kershaw	4,014	62,366	66,380	5
Lancaster	1,112	29,664	30,776	19
Laurens	3,898	17,143	21,041	28
Lee	18,165	23,589	41,754	17
Lexington	17,705	72,707	90,412	1
McCormick	467	1,307	1,774	46
Marion	21,044	7,919	28,963	22
Marlboro	17,554	10,095	27,649	23
Newberry	4,990	42,599	47,589	15
Oconee	2,724	55,248	57,972	11
Orangeburg	36,449	39,000	75,449	3
Pickens	18,553	4,198	22,751	25
Richland	10,437	3,786	14,223	31
Saluda	9,596	43,758	53,354	13
Spartanburg	57,403	13,967	71,370	4
Sumter	25,007	37,909	62,916	8
Union	661	2,591	3,252	44
Williamsburg	35,957	5,810	41,767	16
York	13,297	12,439	25,736	24
STATE	744,767	792,902	1,537,669	--
Percent of Total Crops and Livestock	48.4	51.6	100.0	--

CASH RECEIPTS
Farm Marketings of Crops, Livestock and Livestock Products, with Rank,
SOUTH CAROLINA, by Counties, 2001 Preliminary

County	Crops	Livestock and Livestock Products	Total Crops and Livestock	Rank in the State
----- Thousand Dollars -----				
Abbeville	802	8,439	9,241	43
Aiken	8,516	65,121	73,637	4
Allendale	9,329	1,691	11,020	41
Anderson	10,547	20,933	31,480	20
Bamberg	9,008	6,169	15,177	32
Barnwell	7,972	3,307	11,279	39
Beaufort	12,258	555	12,813	35
Berkeley	19,159	2,325	21,484	28
Calhoun	14,573	4,634	19,207	30
Charleston	65,379	1,902	67,281	8
Cherokee	6,053	4,017	10,070	42
Chester	2,669	11,965	14,634	33
Chesterfield	10,768	32,121	42,889	18
Clarendon	31,635	37,412	69,047	7
Colleton	9,189	3,075	12,264	36
Darlington	36,729	24,503	61,232	10
Dillon	25,658	34,258	59,916	13
Dorchester	14,165	12,999	27,164	24
Edgefield	10,885	10,046	20,931	29
Fairfield	946	10,411	11,357	38
Florence	53,615	4,946	58,561	14
Georgetown	10,377	1,854	12,231	37
Greenville	24,137	6,319	30,456	21
Greenwood	4,726	8,242	12,968	34
Hampton	8,238	2,793	11,031	40
Horry	55,776	16,501	72,277	5
Jasper	875	1,159	2,034	45
Kershaw	4,384	56,430	60,814	12
Lancaster	1,003	27,218	28,221	23
Laurens	3,950	19,949	23,899	26
Lee	19,481	23,947	43,428	17
Lexington	18,911	88,551	107,462	1
McCormick	363	1,151	1,514	46
Marion	16,986	8,336	25,322	25
Marlboro	19,414	13,212	32,626	19
Newberry	5,108	51,271	56,379	15
Oconee	2,504	63,495	65,999	9
Orangeburg	43,954	49,330	93,284	2
Pickens	18,994	4,343	23,337	27
Richland	12,209	3,371	15,580	31
Saluda	13,696	47,215	60,911	11
Spartanburg	55,125	14,942	70,067	6
Sumter	28,817	48,093	76,910	3
Union	615	2,687	3,302	44
Williamsburg	37,359	6,694	44,053	16
York	14,546	14,411	28,957	22
STATE	781,403	882,343	1,663,746	--
Percent of Total Crops and Livestock	47.0	53.0	100.0	--

CASH RECEIPTS FROM TIMBER HARVEST, SOUTH CAROLINA, BY COUNTY, 1999 ^{1/}

County	Nonindustrial Private Forest		Stumpage Value Paid to All Owners	Delivered Value of Timber	Value Rank by County
	Number of Owners	Percent Forests Owned			
	--- Number ---	--- Percent ---	----- Dollars -----		
Abbeville	2,236	63	5,839,920	11,643,687	36
Aiken	1,771	73	14,020,443	21,763,344	15
Allendale	600	72	8,806,136	12,189,852	34
Anderson	3,071	90	6,394,046	11,037,578	37
Bamberg	706	85	9,286,726	13,804,786	31
Barnwell	540	44	9,716,731	13,748,309	32
Beaufort	452	70	4,831,394	6,586,092	43
Berkeley	869	32	10,851,616	18,763,390	22
Calhoun	729	95	3,768,862	6,092,472	46
Charleston	773	57	5,272,073	8,958,852	41
Cherokee	2,152	86	6,050,322	10,998,787	38
Chester	3,226	67	15,854,932	24,132,438	13
Chesterfield	1,195	66	10,719,845	18,570,130	23
Clarendon	852	77	5,718,655	9,835,706	40
Colleton	1,604	70	30,299,831	44,945,845	1
Darlington	784	83	9,993,216	15,605,624	28
Dillon	558	77	6,960,801	10,978,762	39
Dorchester	876	68	11,467,195	18,480,984	24
Edgefield	2,778	68	13,778,296	20,530,179	17
Fairfield	4,667	73	20,403,949	32,232,812	3
Florence	1,203	82	20,722,623	30,425,498	5
Georgetown	828	44	19,835,420	30,887,485	4
Greenville	3,956	96	4,493,545	7,959,176	42
Greenwood	2,620	78	15,609,918	28,199,509	9
Hampton	884	70	19,135,662	28,605,091	7
Horry	1,705	76	30,059,569	43,686,914	2
Jasper	969	65	12,881,556	19,939,527	19
Kershaw	5,064	81	14,837,289	23,551,190	14
Lancaster	3,643	83	9,255,138	15,514,245	29
Laurens	4,090	78	13,171,819	21,340,078	16
Lee	614	90	4,074,999	6,230,080	45
Lexington	1,250	98	10,068,125	14,584,515	30
McCormick	634	69	8,640,662	12,528,450	33
Marion	382	38	12,454,346	20,189,428	18
Marlboro	2,068	57	14,647,143	25,206,741	11
Newberry	2,853	59	18,747,184	28,862,063	6
Oconee	3,329	73	8,118,961	16,934,474	26
Orangeburg	1,700	85	15,412,658	24,822,601	12
Pickens	3,253	92	8,665,172	17,353,184	25
Richland	1,129	75	8,758,731	16,784,566	27
Saluda	2,645	84	17,942,396	25,639,021	10
Spartanburg	4,159	95	7,065,726	11,952,808	35
Sumter	885	75	3,365,568	6,357,399	44
Union	2,535	57	11,705,225	18,989,482	21
Williamsburg	1,616	79	17,676,597	28,569,606	8
York	3,729	85	11,833,957	19,921,494	20
STATE	88,192	72	549,214,979	875,934,255	--

^{1/} Revised. Production data come from USDA Forest Service, TPO survey in cooperation with the SC Forestry Commission and Clemson Extension. Values derived from Timber Mart-South Inc. Compiled September 2001 by Richard A. Harper, Extension Forester, Forest Resource Analyst, Department of Forest Resources, Clemson University, 864-656-6287.

FARM INCOME AND EXPENSES, SOUTH CAROLINA, 1997 - 2001 ^{1/}

COMMODITY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
	--- Thousand Dollars ---				
VALUE OF CROP PRODUCTION	893,479	680,032	630,263	768,706	837,632
Food Grains	51,039	24,800	23,017	22,558	27,689
Feed Crops	82,483	51,090	40,548	42,510	53,257
Cotton	144,333	127,525	84,353	75,070	109,656
Oil Crops	101,361	76,170	52,193	52,495	51,742
Tobacco	213,298	157,554	131,117	167,901	131,232
Fruits and Tree Nuts	37,493	39,982	36,171	36,028	44,161
Vegetables	70,843	67,624	62,219	66,165	72,923
All Other Crops	181,560	187,359	207,400	265,040	273,017
Home Consumption	1,672	1,672	1,672	1,605	1,672
Value of Inventory Adjustment ^{2/}	9,397	(53,744)	(8,427)	39,334	72,283
VALUE OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION	788,976	767,835	771,197	792,451	879,789
Meat Animals	170,745	131,493	137,462	168,564	170,267
Dairy Products	57,565	61,215	59,658	51,747	60,060
Poultry and Eggs	553,924	551,435	556,983	552,503	629,529
Miscellaneous Livestock	19,665	21,096	20,242	20,088	22,487
Home Consumption	5,591	4,845	5,256	6,409	4,975
Value of Inventory Adjustment ^{2/}	(18,514)	(2,249)	(8,404)	(6,860)	(7,529)
REVENUES FROM SERVICES AND FORESTRY	196,562	197,854	236,932	209,295	261,698
Machine Hire and Customwork	9,218	7,093	9,668	8,233	3,755
Forest Products Sold	12,000	13,000	15,000	17,000	18,000
Other Farm Income	74,595	78,574	113,244	82,768	136,614
Gross Imputed Rental Value of Farm Dwellings	100,749	99,187	99,020	101,294	103,329
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL SECTOR OUTPUT	1,879,017	1,645,721	1,638,393	1,770,452	1,979,120
LESS: PURCHASED INPUTS	983,153	941,204	913,026	922,040	950,809
FARM ORIGIN	352,014	341,438	344,768	355,633	374,990
Feed Purchased	254,625	246,198	252,313	259,214	280,659
Livestock and Poultry Purchased	50,035	47,154	49,406	56,118	51,282
Seed Purchased	47,354	48,086	43,049	40,301	43,049
MANUFACTURED INPUTS	267,763	250,976	226,372	233,833	226,040
Fertilizers and Lime	102,453	91,032	78,608	76,825	74,279
Pesticides	88,079	84,796	74,402	68,384	68,931
Petroleum Fuel and Oils	58,229	52,917	52,511	63,657	59,152
Electricity	19,002	22,231	20,851	24,967	23,678
OTHER PURCHASED INPUTS	363,376	348,790	341,886	332,574	349,779
Repair and Maintenance of Capital Items	94,101	87,033	83,886	87,911	76,350
Machine Hire and Customwork	15,907	17,098	17,838	15,299	8,931
Marketing, Storage, and Transportation Expenses	83,413	86,570	73,571	71,530	67,498
Contract Labor	13,413	15,541	12,739	17,321	17,687
Miscellaneous Expenses	156,542	142,548	153,852	140,513	179,313
PLUS: NET GOVERNMENT TRANSACTIONS	9,671	29,242	96,356	113,510	98,498
+ Direct Government Payments	43,050	62,608	127,788	144,499	130,287
- Motor Vehicle Registration and Licensing Fees	3,109	4,303	3,927	4,344	4,284
- Property Taxes	30,270	29,063	27,505	26,645	27,505
GROSS VALUE ADDED	905,534	733,759	821,722	961,922	1,126,809
LESS: CAPITAL CONSUMPTION	167,050	169,714	170,648	168,938	171,175
NET VALUE ADDED	738,484	564,045	651,074	792,984	955,634
LESS: PAYMENTS TO STAKEHOLDERS	224,323	224,874	204,262	221,306	271,603
Employee Compensation (Total Hired Labor)	118,795	124,822	110,538	121,377	146,549
Net Rent Received by Nonoperator Landlords	27,847	21,228	13,312	15,410	34,333
Real Estate and Nonreal Estate Interest	77,681	78,824	80,412	84,519	90,721
NET FARM INCOME	514,161	339,171	446,812	571,678	684,031

^{1/} Value of agricultural sector production output is the gross value of the commodities and services produced within a year. Net value-added is the sector's contribution to the National economy and is the sum of the income from production earned by all factors-of-production. Net farm income is the farm operators' share of income from the sector's production activities. The concept presented is consistent with that employed by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development. ^{2/} A positive value of inventory change represents current-year production not sold by December 31. A negative value is an offset to production from prior years included in current-year sales. SOURCE: Economic Research Service - USDA.

FARM LABOR AND WAGE RATES
Selected Quarters, SOUTHEAST and UNITED STATES, 2001 and 2002 1/

Region	Number of Workers				Hours Worked per Week			Farm Wage Rates		
	Self-Employed	Unpaid	Hired	All Farm Workers	Self-Employed	Unpaid	Hired	Field Workers	Livestock Workers	All Hired Workers
	----- Thousand -----				----- Hours -----			----- Dollars per Hour -----		
July 2001										
S.E.	NA	NA	32	NA	NA	NA	35.7	7.19	7.50	7.69
U.S.*	NA	NA	1,039	NA	NA	NA	39.9	7.70	7.89	8.29
October 2001										
S.E.	NA	NA	37	NA	NA	NA	38.1	7.61	7.28	8.07
U.S.*	NA	NA	991	NA	NA	NA	41.7	8.01	8.39	8.59
April 2002										
S.E.	NA	NA	44	NA	NA	NA	44.1	7.28	8.29	7.94
U.S.*	NA	NA	890	NA	NA	NA	40.2	8.06	8.43	8.83
July 2002										
S.E.	NA	NA	34	NA	NA	NA	33.7	7.11	8.90	8.01
U.S.	NA	NA	966	NA	NA	NA	39.7	7.91	8.37	8.60

1/ Southeast includes AL, GA, and SC. NA = Not available. * Revised.

FARM REAL ESTATE VALUES AND CASH RENTS
SOUTH CAROLINA, 1990-2002 1/ 2/

Year	Farm Real Estate Value per Acre			Cash Rents - Acreage Rented for Cash			
	Farm Real Estate	Cropland	Pasture	Pasture Average Rent per Acre	Ratio Rent-to-Value	Cropland Average Rent per Acre	Ratio Rent-to-Value
	- Dollars -			- Dollars -	- Percent -	- Dollars -	- Percent -
1990	1,011	--	--	17.90	3.4	23.20	3.6
1993	1,137	--	--	16.40	1.8	22.50	2.8
1994	1,200	--	--	18.80	2.2	23.40	2.6
1995	1,340	--	--	16.11	1.7	23.50	3/
1996	1,360	--	--	3/	3/	23.80	3/
1997	1,400	1,090	1,220	3/	3/	24.00	3/
1998	1,480	1,160	1,340	3/	3/	22.50	3/
1999	1,520	1,200	1,380	3/	3/	22.00	3/
2000	1,600	1,240	1,450	3/	3/	24.20	3/
2001	1,650	1,300	1,600	3/	3/	27.50	3/
2002	1,700	1,350	1,700	3/	3/	28.50	3/

1/ A farm is an establishment from which \$1,000 or more of agricultural products were sold or would be sold during the year. 2/ Prior to 1997, farm land and cash rent data were published by USDA-Economic Research Service in the periodic AREI UPDATE series. 3/ Insufficient information.

PRICES RECEIVED CROPS

Marketing Year Average Prices Received, by SOUTH CAROLINA Farmers, 1999-2001

Year Crop Harvested	Tobacco	Peanuts	Cotton Lint	Cotton Seed	All Hay Baled	Sweet- potatoes
	----- Dollars per Lb. -----			----- Dol./Ton. -----		-- Dol./Cwt. --
1999	1.691	0.267	0.455	73.00	75.00	16.20
2000	1.766	0.254 *	0.550 *	80.00	80.00	14.20 *
2001	1.841	0.257	0.410	69.50	80.00	13.00

Year Crop Harvested	Soybeans	Corn	Sorghum Grain	Wheat	Oats	Rye	Barley
	----- Dollars per Bushel -----						
1999	4.70	2.29	1.79	2.30	1.30	2.30	1.80
2000	4.50	2.10 *	1.95 *	2.40 *	1.50	1/	1/
2001	4.20	2.10	1.80	2.30	1.70	1/	1/

1/ No longer published, due to changes in estimate program. * Revised.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Marketing Year Average Prices Received, by SOUTH CAROLINA Farmers, 1999-2001

Year Crop Harvested	Pecans	All Peaches	All Apples	All Grapes	Cucumbers Processed
	----- Dollars per Lb. -----			----- Dol./Ton. -----	
1999	0.810	0.204	0.137	570.00	215.00
2000	1.060	0.204	0.129	669.00	225.00
2001	0.573	0.425	0.187	1/	200.00

1/ Estimates discontinued in 2001.

Year Crop Harvested	FRESH MARKET				
	Cucumbers	Tomatoes	Snap Beans	Watermelons	Cantaloups 1/
	----- Dollars per Hundredweight -----				
1999	23.50	22.00	36.00	6.70	--
2000	27.50	23.00	39.00	5.10	13.50
2001	14.20	21.60	30.00	5.70	13.30

1/ The year 2000 was the first year estimates were made for these vegetable crops.

Year Crop Harvested	FRESH MARKET AND PROCESSING 1/					
	Collard Greens	Kale	Lima Beans	Mustard Greens	Squash	Turnip Greens
	----- Dollars per Hundredweight -----					
2000	23.70	21.30	40.00	22.90	27.80	22.50
2001	25.10	25.90	35.00	23.60	23.80	24.20

1/ The year 2000 was the first year estimates were made for these vegetable crops.

PRICES RECEIVED
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS

Marketing Year Average Prices Received, by SOUTH CAROLINA Farmers, 1997-2001

Year	Beef Cattle	Steers and Heifers	Calves	Cows	Milk Cows
	----- Dollars per Hundredweight -----				- Dollars per Head -
1997	54.00	59.50	76.50	36.10	1,160.00
1998	52.40	59.30	74.60	29.20	1,170.00
1999	58.00	65.30	82.20	34.90	1,350.00
2000	68.80	77.50	101.00	41.60	1,450.00
2001	69.20	77.30	98.00	44.80	1,620.00

Year	All Milk Wholesale	All Hogs ^{1/}	Barrows and Gilts ^{1/}	Sows ^{1/}
	----- Dollars per Hundredweight -----			
1997	14.50	49.40	49.70	44.30
1998	16.50	32.60	33.10	26.00
1999	16.30	28.80	29.10	24.00
2000	14.10	40.60	41.00	34.00
2001	16.50	42.50	43.00	34.40

Year	Chickens ^{1/}	Turkeys	Broilers ^{1/}	All Eggs ^{1/}	Market Eggs ^{1/}
	----- Dollars per Pound -----			----- Dollars per Dozen -----	
1997	0.111	0.390	0.385	0.768	0.593
1998	0.111	0.380	0.395	0.696	0.509
1999	0.082	0.420	0.370	0.644	0.454
2000	0.074	0.420	0.330	0.642	0.456
2001	0.046	0.390	0.390	0.674	0.504

^{1/} December previous year through November current year.