

**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002**

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	South Carolina	Abbeville	Aiken	Allendale	Anderson	Bamberg	Barnwell
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	25,867	566	1,206	185	1,650	390	412
.....farms, 2002	24,535	539	924	154	1,645	341	368
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,012,179	10,849	95,903	21,025	53,732	22,003	20,971
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,313,233	13,050	48,829	15,461	35,776	14,762	11,493
Average per farm .....dollars, 2007	77,789	19,168	79,521	113,646	32,565	56,419	50,902
.....dollars, 2002	53,525	24,212	52,845	100,399	21,748	43,289	31,230
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....farms, 2007	14,472	358	708	90	928	181	209
.....farms, 2002	13,723	298	660	73	920	146	181
.....\$1,000, 2007	143,408	1,375	2,842	3,556	3,375	3,787	2,301
.....\$1,000, 2002	86,434	598	2,172	2,363	2,139	2,282	1,339
Chemicals purchased .....farms, 2007	9,803	227	470	72	518	140	159
.....farms, 2002	9,390	169	431	57	480	128	163
.....\$1,000, 2007	73,930	141	972	1,201	(D)	1,636	1,461
.....\$1,000, 2002	62,783	98	1,443	1,195	395	1,331	855
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees .....farms, 2007	8,374	202	385	68	413	126	138
.....farms, 2002	9,351	131	344	64	445	140	150
.....\$1,000, 2007	81,099	341	948	1,066	(D)	1,179	838
.....\$1,000, 2002	60,591	330	906	1,052	525	985	603
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	4,097	118	195	17	269	35	56
.....farms, 2002	4,828	157	320	17	419	47	72
.....\$1,000, 2007	170,676	964	13,114	1,317	5,540	603	3,060
.....\$1,000, 2002	97,058	719	7,317	(D)	2,674	281	1,056
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> .....farms, 2007	1,977	66	83	8	144	19	27
.....farms, 2002	2,557	143	170	4	193	28	21
.....\$1,000, 2007	14,017	308	264	128	434	361	45
.....\$1,000, 2002	6,302	621	258	(D)	388	250	26
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	2,613	64	129	13	154	18	38
.....farms, 2002	2,654	25	157	14	254	20	57
.....\$1,000, 2007	156,659	656	12,850	1,189	5,106	241	3,016
.....\$1,000, 2002	90,756	99	7,059	(D)	2,286	31	1,030
Feed purchased .....farms, 2007	12,517	373	620	35	979	104	153
.....farms, 2002	13,901	434	665	40	1,100	109	143
.....\$1,000, 2007	761,414	2,733	45,035	815	21,258	3,281	4,599
.....\$1,000, 2002	369,275	4,128	20,389	459	8,883	1,191	1,807
Gasoline, fuels, and oils .....farms, 2007	25,395	561	1,186	178	1,627	379	399
.....farms, 2002	22,990	497	882	143	1,493	331	346
.....\$1,000, 2007	102,948	756	4,043	1,348	2,655	1,674	1,372
.....\$1,000, 2002	59,334	510	2,123	512	1,680	656	572
Utilities (see text) .....farms, 2007	9,803	255	509	60	587	149	162
.....farms, 2002	11,087	211	597	56	698	154	177
.....\$1,000, 2007	41,332	260	2,150	493	1,277	531	419
.....\$1,000, 2002	32,688	365	1,946	287	934	466	246
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance .....farms, 2007	23,986	532	1,140	162	1,518	364	379
.....farms, 2002	21,421	402	833	142	1,309	307	335
.....\$1,000, 2007	122,381	1,247	5,407	1,896	3,432	2,196	1,885
.....\$1,000, 2002	123,943	1,131	3,456	1,526	4,574	1,537	1,283
Hired farm labor .....farms, 2007	4,310	105	217	39	168	89	81
.....farms, 2002	4,821	82	162	33	196	57	101
.....\$1,000, 2007	173,196	840	3,029	1,899	3,252	2,691	(D)
.....\$1,000, 2002	158,993	1,880	2,516	(D)	4,904	1,504	743
Contract labor .....farms, 2007	1,320	29	86	14	68	18	41
.....farms, 2002	1,803	45	77	18	102	54	33
.....\$1,000, 2007	21,872	82	2,766	(D)	(D)	628	291
.....\$1,000, 2002	22,198	347	1,655	(D)	681	373	182
Customwork and custom hauling .....farms, 2007	1,912	62	75	18	105	30	32
.....farms, 2002	2,275	140	69	16	150	28	16
.....\$1,000, 2007	17,399	102	295	(D)	242	187	(D)
.....\$1,000, 2002	14,324	494	114	165	192	250	90
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....farms, 2007	3,915	65	138	42	205	75	80
.....farms, 2002	3,631	61	83	28	242	80	72
.....\$1,000, 2007	62,216	137	979	553	2,720	975	1,139
.....\$1,000, 2002	38,536	98	387	463	533	682	283
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....farms, 2007	717	19	33	11	24	7	9
.....farms, 2002	997	-	66	7	42	22	23
.....\$1,000, 2007	6,579	12	95	86	54	100	35
.....\$1,000, 2002	7,796	-	305	(D)	109	76	134
Interest expense .....farms, 2007	4,820	122	256	55	288	79	83
.....farms, 2002	5,164	144	295	51	370	96	74
.....\$1,000, 2007	58,971	765	3,464	757	2,564	791	721
.....\$1,000, 2002	55,104	874	1,785	966	2,906	1,463	776
Secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	3,808	97	222	46	232	66	59
.....farms, 2002	4,072	130	197	46	347	66	38
.....\$1,000, 2007	44,652	613	3,029	611	2,119	554	510
.....\$1,000, 2002	44,350	778	1,504	870	2,596	1,265	446
Not secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	2,788	60	131	35	161	58	54
.....farms, 2002	2,020	29	127	13	125	48	51
.....\$1,000, 2007	14,319	152	435	147	445	238	211
.....\$1,000, 2002	10,753	96	281	96	310	198	330
Property taxes paid .....farms, 2007	23,544	533	1,114	167	1,497	354	382
.....farms, 2002	22,298	531	776	137	1,477	329	322
.....\$1,000, 2007	37,423	461	1,536	715	1,902	634	459
.....\$1,000, 2002	38,128	424	916	429	2,478	649	318
All other production expenses (see text) .....farms, 2007	9,304	243	430	51	672	115	133
.....farms, 2002	10,692	208	431	62	909	121	126
.....\$1,000, 2007	137,337	635	9,226	2,010	4,033	1,111	1,370
.....\$1,000, 2002	86,048	1,053	1,400	1,832	2,169	1,036	1,204
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	7,764	155	376	75	431	127	166
.....farms, 2002	6,213	124	263	50	388	94	88
.....\$1,000, 2007	121,045	1,954	5,127	2,262	3,831	2,478	2,970
.....\$1,000, 2002	99,266	2,004	4,270	1,858	1,999	2,110	1,041

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Item		Beaufort	Berkeley	Calhoun	Charleston	Cherokee	Chester	Chesterfield	Clarendon
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....	farms, 2007	125	314	341	332	416	544	848	491
	2002	115	398	279	416	431	428	596	392
	\$1,000, 2007	14,493	21,582	40,022	21,080	29,966	25,994	65,121	65,398
Average per farm .....	2002	7,203	26,804	20,367	15,807	15,302	16,061	42,208	51,879
	dollars, 2007	115,947	68,734	117,367	63,495	72,033	47,783	76,794	133,193
	2002	62,634	67,346	73,000	37,999	35,504	37,525	70,819	132,345
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....	farms, 2007	76	202	180	198	232	247	358	259
	2002	77	232	142	240	232	221	193	182
	\$1,000, 2007	1,722	2,555	5,131	950	740	1,138	1,502	6,537
Chemicals purchased .....	2002	309	1,942	2,332	711	633	1,242	1,302	5,492
	farms, 2007	50	133	146	145	115	149	272	238
	2002	60	211	115	141	68	139	197	166
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees .....	\$1,000, 2007	937	(D)	4,296	592	142	263	673	3,611
	farms, 2007	672	1,161	1,961	972	210	284	751	2,597
	2002	54	132	129	135	112	135	220	186
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....	\$1,000, 2007	944	(D)	3,893	1,560	94	336	764	2,221
	2002	216	(D)	2,177	534	105	212	249	3,163
	farms, 2007	16	46	36	51	96	107	152	66
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> .....	2002	8	64	60	54	123	84	137	76
	\$1,000, 2007	230	104	1,747	1,389	2,367	3,138	7,044	5,381
	2002	14	188	793	259	1,339	1,099	7,806	5,019
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....	farms, 2007	5	17	19	24	57	70	62	24
	2002	5	26	38	6	81	48	47	24
	\$1,000, 2007	31	38	61	(D)	273	317	198	81
Feed purchased .....	2002	4	35	30	(D)	509	149	82	85
	farms, 2007	13	31	24	39	53	65	108	52
	2002	5	44	30	49	43	38	94	53
Gasoline, fuels, and oils .....	\$1,000, 2007	200	66	1,686	(D)	2,094	2,821	6,846	5,300
	2002	10	153	763	(D)	831	950	7,724	4,933
	farms, 2007	71	155	119	169	249	306	353	136
Utilities (see text) .....	2002	68	235	132	202	233	304	296	173
	\$1,000, 2007	693	(D)	9,042	907	21,863	13,156	42,610	21,034
	2002	230	1,037	1,991	666	8,638	7,496	19,110	15,649
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance .....	farms, 2007	125	312	334	329	408	537	829	466
	2002	114	392	273	338	402	400	565	372
	\$1,000, 2007	1,024	884	1,920	878	1,167	1,326	1,991	3,722
Hired farm labor .....	2002	306	906	887	492	391	471	1,180	2,525
	farms, 2007	62	136	127	146	134	184	259	196
	2002	71	187	133	200	169	165	258	136
Contract labor .....	\$1,000, 2007	431	495	734	413	148	299	751	1,223
	2002	187	813	462	373	213	223	891	1,239
	farms, 2007	105	296	304	308	390	511	775	451
Customwork and custom hauling .....	2002	104	344	247	336	369	373	565	319
	\$1,000, 2007	1,946	2,187	2,828	1,645	927	1,924	2,305	3,314
	2002	1,059	4,953	3,243	1,374	864	1,414	3,051	3,528
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....	farms, 2007	54	53	65	86	50	77	104	132
	2002	62	42	66	95	60	30	71	136
	\$1,000, 2007	3,793	(D)	2,929	5,173	1,072	1,205	1,755	3,678
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....	2002	(D)	(D)	2,289	3,501	922	909	3,798	4,422
	farms, 2007	15	13	24	33	16	13	25	31
	2002	13	21	14	34	37	15	75	30
Interest expense .....	\$1,000, 2007	508	35	913	722	32	(D)	205	981
	2002	260	279	58	669	148	32	297	652
	farms, 2007	9	22	40	17	27	30	38	60
Secured by real estate .....	2002	7	20	34	60	41	49	21	94
	\$1,000, 2007	(D)	40	1,175	64	63	293	146	454
	2002	8	(D)	67	115	179	258	106	362
Not secured by real estate .....	farms, 2007	36	43	59	63	57	65	91	138
	2002	14	64	76	14	64	80	85	80
	\$1,000, 2007	171	(D)	1,329	518	89	433	819	5,612
Property taxes paid .....	2002	(D)	102	835	231	90	193	303	1,625
	farms, 2007	5	7	16	13	5	7	19	24
	2002	6	24	5	5	-	15	44	18
All other production expenses (see text) .....	\$1,000, 2007	(D)	177	114	44	7	(D)	53	381
	2002	(D)	(D)	69	78	-	27	107	343
	farms, 2007	34	60	71	62	73	82	111	134
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....	2002	24	66	76	110	79	55	129	116
	\$1,000, 2007	406	681	820	2,385	457	914	997	2,192
	2002	391	742	860	1,356	432	1,045	892	1,877
Secured by real estate .....	farms, 2007	20	51	52	48	64	77	99	100
	2002	19	35	60	106	79	47	95	103
	\$1,000, 2007	271	651	517	1,953	358	744	897	1,492
Not secured by real estate .....	2002	326	379	682	709	384	526	784	1,470
	farms, 2007	31	29	50	42	36	37	45	93
	2002	9	42	26	21	20	27	44	41
Property taxes paid .....	\$1,000, 2007	134	30	303	432	99	170	100	699
	2002	65	363	177	647	48	519	108	407
	farms, 2007	107	280	321	292	371	500	777	443
All other production expenses (see text) .....	2002	111	377	226	399	396	367	578	366
	\$1,000, 2007	590	517	784	689	353	875	828	929
	2002	420	1,090	582	2,202	404	515	914	1,212
All other production expenses (see text) .....	farms, 2007	67	126	127	136	143	189	231	174
	2002	47	183	133	178	165	189	233	154
	\$1,000, 2007	775	2,482	2,368	3,151	446	578	2,678	4,127
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....	2002	581	1,910	1,763	2,274	733	640	1,451	2,175
	farms, 2007	28	100	110	92	121	167	196	156
	2002	25	48	67	112	123	108	120	129
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....	\$1,000, 2007	1,061	1,446	2,782	1,256	760	2,242	2,100	2,943
	2002	1,009	1,248	1,286	703	1,093	1,339	1,278	3,776

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Item	Colleton	Darlington	Dillon	Dorchester	Edgefield	Fairfield	Florence	Georgetown
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	525	369	222	377	407	187	675	252
.....farms, 2002	496	363	194	366	327	234	616	226
.....\$1,000, 2007	21,151	78,007	67,178	27,426	37,301	22,729	37,847	20,101
.....\$1,000, 2002	12,477	42,917	59,088	13,946	34,958	12,205	37,608	22,367
Average per farm .....dollars, 2007	40,287	211,400	302,602	72,749	91,649	121,547	56,070	79,767
.....dollars, 2002	25,155	118,230	304,577	38,103	106,907	52,158	61,052	98,967
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....farms, 2007	325	248	144	205	212	112	452	136
.....farms, 2002	311	185	135	207	211	104	431	175
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,850	8,677	5,868	2,577	1,863	332	7,528	1,473
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,608	4,116	3,285	1,178	2,355	306	5,395	971
Chemicals purchased .....farms, 2007	223	224	120	161	165	64	343	93
.....farms, 2002	258	161	124	143	138	65	379	156
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,981	5,966	4,185	1,516	903	77	3,957	458
.....\$1,000, 2002	381	4,585	4,557	1,190	1,918	60	3,320	648
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees .....farms, 2007	215	188	122	143	129	52	336	90
.....farms, 2002	247	176	123	217	141	80	399	137
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,148	4,858	2,941	1,665	(D)	437	2,819	2,640
.....\$1,000, 2002	509	2,473	1,984	556	(D)	147	1,927	2,573
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	70	42	44	77	65	33	53	15
.....farms, 2002	92	45	46	45	56	53	59	42
.....\$1,000, 2007	961	4,331	9,361	3,061	(D)	1,578	255	(D)
.....\$1,000, 2002	153	1,987	9,311	824	227	1,927	477	(D)
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> .....farms, 2007	31	16	19	29	34	17	29	5
.....farms, 2002	63	15	7	31	43	23	40	18
.....\$1,000, 2007	511	64	216	257	(D)	93	96	16
.....\$1,000, 2002	67	11	(D)	67	83	46	36	13
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	51	28	31	53	44	18	27	12
.....farms, 2002	29	30	40	16	25	33	19	27
.....\$1,000, 2007	450	4,267	9,145	2,804	819	1,485	159	(D)
.....\$1,000, 2002	86	1,976	(D)	757	144	1,881	440	(D)
Feed purchased .....farms, 2007	242	143	84	191	205	121	200	75
.....farms, 2002	208	146	74	210	176	143	165	86
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,486	26,174	22,171	7,637	3,470	15,762	4,191	1,080
.....\$1,000, 2002	703	8,018	16,356	4,401	991	6,467	2,379	835
Gasoline, fuels, and oils .....farms, 2007	514	366	221	374	401	182	663	238
.....farms, 2002	490	356	193	336	316	207	616	222
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,716	4,173	4,108	1,259	1,912	744	4,078	1,298
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,286	2,236	2,863	610	890	253	3,633	591
Utilities (see text) .....farms, 2007	185	187	116	172	163	81	272	92
.....farms, 2002	235	184	112	199	179	111	303	123
.....\$1,000, 2007	648	1,593	972	730	908	211	1,019	1,079
.....\$1,000, 2002	505	885	1,238	500	878	92	1,096	994
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance .....farms, 2007	478	343	216	352	388	171	633	231
.....farms, 2002	434	359	188	293	280	210	575	214
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,992	4,387	3,494	1,473	5,076	696	3,574	1,209
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,233	4,181	3,672	1,395	4,914	812	4,159	2,065
Hired farm labor .....farms, 2007	75	125	81	58	67	31	134	42
.....farms, 2002	32	103	100	99	77	28	243	73
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,350	5,834	3,613	1,336	10,333	726	3,414	5,052
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,208	5,192	5,230	735	11,221	205	4,533	4,694
Contract labor .....farms, 2007	19	31	21	13	20	15	29	15
.....farms, 2002	2	36	21	39	17	44	77	31
.....\$1,000, 2007	317	523	263	87	47	92	319	(D)
.....\$1,000, 2002	(D)	466	733	168	1,153	279	1,198	44
Customwork and custom hauling .....farms, 2007	40	41	36	18	37	17	65	8
.....farms, 2002	54	28	32	55	38	47	51	29
.....\$1,000, 2007	249	388	372	81	146	23	162	(D)
.....\$1,000, 2002	33	291	646	70	186	396	454	(D)
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....farms, 2007	84	115	87	74	40	37	172	25
.....farms, 2002	66	94	75	59	31	29	237	40
.....\$1,000, 2007	407	4,780	2,548	2,193	586	893	2,309	219
.....\$1,000, 2002	193	2,587	3,232	463	297	54	3,504	439
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....farms, 2007	21	9	7	6	12	13	19	4
.....farms, 2002	11	48	16	20	19	12	44	11
.....\$1,000, 2007	285	134	289	23	59	78	301	18
.....\$1,000, 2002	(D)	296	203	215	(D)	12	447	54
Interest expense .....farms, 2007	101	124	72	85	76	36	137	33
.....farms, 2002	89	121	94	42	104	46	230	58
.....\$1,000, 2007	997	2,076	1,813	947	1,031	315	1,545	336
.....\$1,000, 2002	471	1,639	1,975	489	1,246	550	2,364	582
Secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	80	80	49	65	67	23	93	25
.....farms, 2002	88	70	42	32	104	35	146	45
.....\$1,000, 2007	782	1,161	1,177	625	820	242	1,005	316
.....\$1,000, 2002	366	1,362	1,299	400	1,192	522	1,522	561
Not secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	56	78	45	49	38	21	89	16
.....farms, 2002	19	64	66	20	22	17	124	15
.....\$1,000, 2007	215	915	636	322	211	73	540	20
.....\$1,000, 2002	105	278	676	89	54	28	842	21
Property taxes paid .....farms, 2007	486	332	202	351	391	170	594	232
.....farms, 2002	459	345	181	344	303	215	499	218
.....\$1,000, 2007	809	905	634	516	545	317	965	368
.....\$1,000, 2002	821	569	530	430	683	431	1,114	477
All other production expenses (see text) .....farms, 2007	192	173	105	136	140	88	214	57
.....farms, 2002	148	157	131	163	193	80	200	110
.....\$1,000, 2007	956	3,208	4,544	2,323	3,868	449	1,412	3,478
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,242	3,397	3,274	722	3,482	215	1,608	5,957
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	200	156	88	110	121	58	269	74
.....farms, 2002	121	157	96	115	121	72	248	60
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,717	4,304	2,686	1,599	2,889	588	3,443	1,829
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,277	5,412	3,653	1,342	3,004	555	2,637	991

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**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.**

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Item	Greenville	Greenwood	Hampton	Horry	Jasper	Kershaw	Lancaster	Laurens
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... farms, 2007	1,100	493	295	914	109	499	573	830
..... 2002	905	502	245	989	166	482	640	935
..... \$1,000, 2007	21,637	11,083	14,384	62,835	12,616	110,451	52,562	34,846
..... 2002	22,648	8,100	10,587	55,853	7,503	60,696	28,386	17,900
Average per farm ..... dollars, 2007	19,670	22,482	48,758	68,747	115,745	221,344	91,732	41,983
..... 2002	25,025	16,135	43,212	56,474	45,198	125,924	44,353	19,144
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ..... farms, 2007	610	277	161	556	62	218	320	447
..... 2002	489	271	142	690	98	225	335	445
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,462	663	3,027	9,265	950	708	1,092	1,401
..... 2002	2,007	518	1,498	6,218	559	1,025	517	1,052
Chemicals purchased ..... farms, 2007	355	148	123	430	41	159	178	255
..... 2002	261	162	111	511	73	133	238	210
..... \$1,000, 2007	768	128	1,611	4,248	426	498	236	150
..... 2002	1,483	313	1,382	3,383	282	1,067	146	118
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees ..... farms, 2007	275	144	127	371	40	112	112	199
..... 2002	224	161	135	537	78	85	162	264
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,426	409	1,221	3,073	808	410	302	390
..... 2002	1,390	61	509	1,715	194	750	187	1,657
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms, 2007	117	102	34	76	12	113	139	158
..... 2002	189	148	43	105	26	108	130	224
..... \$1,000, 2007	294	1,287	39	5,398	69	9,835	4,180	4,317
..... 2002	231	411	72	4,001	(D)	3,323	3,184	1,140
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> ..... farms, 2007	67	59	6	28	2	39	65	94
..... 2002	112	73	31	41	14	42	60	132
..... \$1,000, 2007	165	198	5	120	(D)	1,529	292	1,780
..... 2002	188	148	66	101	(D)	267	126	311
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms, 2007	69	52	29	55	11	85	91	82
..... 2002	84	97	12	65	16	81	78	102
..... \$1,000, 2007	128	1,089	34	5,279	(D)	8,306	3,888	2,537
..... 2002	43	262	7	3,900	31	3,055	3,058	828
Feed purchased ..... farms, 2007	575	330	93	291	45	278	339	459
..... 2002	738	380	108	448	74	274	434	545
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,603	2,443	271	11,300	(D)	84,907	38,630	16,968
..... 2002	4,882	2,057	144	7,187	140	40,105	17,231	5,916
Gasoline, fuels, and oils ..... farms, 2007	1,083	486	292	890	108	490	568	815
..... 2002	791	447	241	896	160	424	634	897
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,722	846	1,450	6,538	891	1,603	1,123	1,818
..... 2002	1,038	250	757	4,287	326	1,179	776	1,069
Utilities (see text) ..... farms, 2007	344	177	98	352	36	193	213	278
..... 2002	380	183	125	559	82	208	279	406
..... \$1,000, 2007	642	687	228	1,377	271	1,254	434	556
..... 2002	550	196	273	1,203	132	1,032	625	596
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance ..... farms, 2007	1,032	454	278	852	100	447	531	759
..... 2002	723	424	223	796	149	408	601	782
..... \$1,000, 2007	2,644	1,038	1,760	6,053	1,101	2,757	1,412	2,245
..... 2002	2,413	1,248	1,195	5,777	1,370	3,254	2,599	1,502
Hired farm labor ..... farms, 2007	123	53	63	184	15	87	76	105
..... 2002	113	72	60	270	96	96	90	146
..... \$1,000, 2007	4,690	1,739	1,153	4,366	3,624	3,354	593	1,123
..... 2002	2,540	343	1,341	4,829	2,549	4,404	(D)	1,018
Contract labor ..... farms, 2007	55	13	12	53	15	33	23	42
..... 2002	40	33	18	114	9	35	48	38
..... \$1,000, 2007	374	29	127	574	322	227	72	214
..... 2002	421	24	226	1,511	88	60	40	118
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms, 2007	50	32	28	94	8	32	50	66
..... 2002	49	16	18	172	14	51	77	85
..... \$1,000, 2007	160	32	243	622	(D)	358	98	243
..... 2002	96	6	76	2,614	(D)	77	193	204
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms, 2007	104	54	63	179	13	37	89	83
..... 2002	118	86	50	160	18	57	52	139
..... \$1,000, 2007	448	136	585	2,373	(D)	252	372	383
..... 2002	700	614	514	3,823	290	418	116	204
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles ..... farms, 2007	24	5	15	19	2	11	14	30
..... 2002	18	-	10	61	12	18	7	59
..... \$1,000, 2007	67	10	48	146	(D)	28	19	58
..... 2002	6	-	76	237	178	10	(D)	35
Interest expense ..... farms, 2007	138	85	61	183	13	87	82	152
..... 2002	167	89	44	208	26	91	64	135
..... \$1,000, 2007	958	545	1,093	2,076	112	934	486	1,713
..... 2002	1,621	939	773	3,518	100	848	627	986
Secured by real estate ..... farms, 2007	101	79	49	123	9	79	62	121
..... 2002	154	81	37	153	16	70	45	95
..... \$1,000, 2007	785	483	887	1,501	(D)	798	347	1,443
..... 2002	1,503	905	689	2,610	(D)	757	599	885
Not secured by real estate ..... farms, 2007	84	38	30	127	7	46	49	91
..... 2002	43	43	14	112	12	30	26	53
..... \$1,000, 2007	173	62	205	575	(D)	136	139	270
..... 2002	118	34	83	908	(D)	92	28	101
Property taxes paid ..... farms, 2007	994	446	262	813	103	466	519	751
..... 2002	739	471	229	903	149	432	551	850
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,716	393	683	1,320	289	768	708	882
..... 2002	760	504	631	1,851	622	726	765	1,112
All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms, 2007	332	188	91	307	31	194	202	340
..... 2002	477	198	111	420	57	208	258	445
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,662	699	846	4,106	(D)	2,559	2,805	2,384
..... 2002	2,510	616	1,120	3,698	366	2,417	596	1,172
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> ..... farms, 2007	233	158	121	277	21	142	146	289
..... 2002	153	99	60	201	22	111	139	240
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,966	1,740	2,583	5,141	643	4,501	1,457	3,115
..... 2002	975	768	1,397	4,772	557	3,338	682	1,875

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**Table 3. Farm Production Expenses: 2007 and 2002 - Con.**

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Item	Lee	Lexington	McCormick	Marion	Marlboro	Newberry	Oconee	Orangeburg
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	476	948	79	308	233	614	804	1,002
.....farms, 2002	320	1,085	99	216	217	636	877	964
.....\$1,000, 2007	64,358	134,424	3,234	19,281	40,206	79,669	102,753	124,138
.....\$1,000, 2002	30,112	70,118	2,045	21,738	27,325	41,485	42,822	71,475
Average per farm .....dollars, 2007	135,207	141,797	40,940	62,600	172,559	129,754	127,802	123,890
.....dollars, 2002	94,101	64,625	20,661	100,637	125,920	65,228	48,827	74,144
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased .....farms, 2007	193	537	39	169	126	378	505	530
.....farms, 2002	124	658	51	121	115	303	561	543
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,283	3,722	110	3,252	4,457	2,247	1,379	11,205
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,793	2,165	114	2,089	2,386	1,141	713	5,555
Chemicals purchased .....farms, 2007	160	397	29	132	110	236	347	411
.....farms, 2002	123	456	30	105	104	236	457	316
.....\$1,000, 2007	4,378	2,103	(D)	1,636	3,445	570	339	6,038
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,363	1,674	35	2,206	3,390	392	515	4,540
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees .....farms, 2007	162	291	25	120	105	219	241	384
.....farms, 2002	108	389	35	93	84	194	239	586
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,553	2,413	12	835	2,280	956	254	5,767
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,588	1,065	33	993	1,486	293	306	3,963
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	51	211	9	34	31	126	215	137
.....farms, 2002	35	271	23	28	29	133	260	163
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,906	17,298	(D)	583	5,361	10,125	11,788	9,767
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,445	6,601	87	592	3,100	4,090	5,734	4,209
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> .....farms, 2007	15	58	4	22	8	61	112	46
.....farms, 2002	15	144	8	14	14	96	93	76
.....\$1,000, 2007	30	539	(D)	(D)	32	436	326	984
.....\$1,000, 2002	57	278	36	31	45	402	116	198
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) .....farms, 2007	40	165	6	21	27	82	142	104
.....farms, 2002	24	144	15	16	18	53	198	109
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,876	16,759	(D)	(D)	5,329	9,689	11,462	8,783
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,387	6,323	51	561	3,055	3,688	5,619	4,011
Feed purchased .....farms, 2007	120	580	40	109	65	392	526	316
.....farms, 2002	101	669	75	106	60	408	647	501
.....\$1,000, 2007	25,311	55,218	(D)	3,799	11,075	43,852	64,153	39,153
.....\$1,000, 2002	9,873	26,447	738	3,377	5,128	19,883	25,801	15,152
Gasoline, fuels, and oils .....farms, 2007	461	936	75	304	231	608	798	985
.....farms, 2002	296	1,018	97	201	192	604	824	919
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,258	6,029	154	1,784	2,093	2,489	2,686	6,627
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,294	3,356	89	1,805	984	1,339	1,120	2,922
Utilities (see text) .....farms, 2007	146	429	27	107	109	238	331	386
.....farms, 2002	139	545	43	119	99	247	425	454
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,481	3,296	25	326	577	1,535	1,804	2,906
.....\$1,000, 2002	460	1,696	79	564	288	1,189	1,130	2,183
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance .....farms, 2007	439	874	74	286	213	574	758	941
.....farms, 2002	271	1,000	91	172	189	561	742	835
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,573	6,734	173	1,685	2,242	3,821	2,850	6,367
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,123	8,599	229	1,522	2,369	3,085	2,206	6,088
Hired farm labor .....farms, 2007	105	159	7	61	69	83	128	185
.....farms, 2002	87	237	21	70	76	85	140	266
.....\$1,000, 2007	4,180	15,046	101	1,429	2,266	4,153	1,567	12,522
.....\$1,000, 2002	2,242	10,642	242	2,215	2,431	4,761	1,295	10,764
Contract labor .....farms, 2007	21	43	3	17	12	19	41	56
.....farms, 2002	31	60	5	21	14	30	28	112
.....\$1,000, 2007	146	1,284	3	159	(D)	403	(D)	640
.....\$1,000, 2002	240	404	46	809	321	83	75	854
Customwork and custom hauling .....farms, 2007	32	58	2	20	28	35	55	99
.....farms, 2002	28	53	5	22	36	60	72	154
.....\$1,000, 2007	268	(D)	(D)	88	284	482	(D)	859
.....\$1,000, 2002	218	(D)	(D)	113	336	175	81	2,660
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees .....farms, 2007	96	108	11	71	77	107	99	221
.....farms, 2002	63	109	15	52	74	52	118	193
.....\$1,000, 2007	5,234	811	50	917	1,781	765	2,675	6,061
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,654	1,164	70	2,460	1,577	175	322	1,415
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles .....farms, 2007	25	23	5	17	3	22	12	40
.....farms, 2002	21	24	1	11	10	27	48	48
.....\$1,000, 2007	674	(D)	1	65	(D)	76	(D)	312
.....\$1,000, 2002	366	(D)	(D)	191	209	117	220	432
Interest expense .....farms, 2007	94	193	6	61	67	102	156	220
.....farms, 2002	79	255	11	60	85	107	167	202
.....\$1,000, 2007	1,268	2,966	41	1,079	1,007	1,572	2,228	4,090
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,073	2,108	64	1,021	1,045	855	1,446	3,013
Secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	72	163	4	43	47	84	121	170
.....farms, 2002	47	223	11	42	59	71	145	145
.....\$1,000, 2007	790	2,282	(D)	984	623	1,328	1,935	2,558
.....\$1,000, 2002	695	1,715	(D)	668	862	682	1,218	2,285
Not secured by real estate .....farms, 2007	62	101	2	38	42	55	91	132
.....farms, 2002	46	71	1	29	35	43	61	100
.....\$1,000, 2007	478	683	(D)	94	384	244	292	1,532
.....\$1,000, 2002	378	393	(D)	352	182	173	227	728
Property taxes paid .....farms, 2007	435	863	68	265	210	560	750	902
.....farms, 2002	273	984	90	189	203	600	830	910
.....\$1,000, 2007	764	1,304	100	407	524	968	857	2,040
.....\$1,000, 2002	515	1,120	99	602	533	1,128	755	1,886
All other production expenses (see text) .....farms, 2007	139	408	27	99	99	268	320	320
.....farms, 2002	133	450	53	114	117	268	371	431
.....\$1,000, 2007	3,082	15,288	(D)	1,239	2,572	5,653	9,697	9,783
.....\$1,000, 2002	1,864	2,806	117	1,179	1,744	2,778	1,104	5,837
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> .....farms, 2007	134	299	28	92	99	205	242	361
.....farms, 2002	118	176	18	41	65	210	244	237
.....\$1,000, 2007	2,975	5,555	374	1,842	2,278	3,974	2,987	7,519
.....\$1,000, 2002	3,773	5,501	237	1,222	1,443	3,025	1,627	5,448

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[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Pickens	Richland	Saluda	Spartanburg	Sumter	Union	Williamsburg	York
Total farm production expenses <sup>1</sup> ..... farms, 2007	829	364	606	1,242	554	262	861	1,038
..... 2002	620	427	572	1,410	540	301	679	860
..... \$1,000, 2007	9,566	15,231	63,530	26,571	64,421	4,957	40,172	79,373
..... 2002	7,257	8,980	43,910	30,609	42,868	3,388	35,822	51,039
Average per farm ..... dollars, 2007	11,539	41,843	104,835	21,393	116,283	18,920	46,657	76,467
..... 2002	11,705	21,031	76,766	21,709	79,385	11,255	52,757	59,348
Fertilizer, lime, and soil conditioners purchased ..... farms, 2007	480	216	335	753	293	143	473	591
..... 2002	338	260	297	816	250	140	341	554
..... \$1,000, 2007	925	1,672	2,191	1,998	5,830	465	7,204	4,223
..... 2002	484	492	1,311	1,611	2,777	552	3,807	978
Chemicals purchased ..... farms, 2007	227	135	233	489	239	83	329	330
..... 2002	191	213	219	358	255	59	322	298
..... \$1,000, 2007	164	291	1,218	1,005	3,018	(D)	3,749	1,044
..... 2002	110	275	772	1,580	2,027	62	3,669	418
Seeds, plants, vines, and trees ..... farms, 2007	195	121	208	350	223	76	333	226
..... 2002	200	247	219	489	178	75	401	197
..... \$1,000, 2007	570	2,593	668	1,147	2,521	41	2,619	(D)
..... 2002	675	463	560	1,971	1,222	334	6,660	(D)
Livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms, 2007	110	40	158	184	75	50	62	194
..... 2002	78	80	135	163	73	38	59	211
..... \$1,000, 2007	259	355	8,415	707	4,252	615	2,250	2,887
..... 2002	63	1,230	4,674	317	2,618	74	933	3,613
Breeding livestock purchased or leased (see text) <sup>2</sup> ..... farms, 2007	53	18	82	115	22	30	35	131
..... 2002	49	34	72	136	33	25	34	135
..... \$1,000, 2007	171	25	511	414	449	(D)	62	380
..... 2002	43	(D)	138	214	59	52	92	299
Other livestock and poultry purchased or leased (see text) ..... farms, 2007	72	26	90	96	57	21	30	95
..... 2002	35	47	94	60	52	25	25	102
..... \$1,000, 2007	87	330	7,904	292	3,804	(D)	2,188	2,507
..... 2002	19	(D)	4,536	104	2,559	23	841	3,314
Feed purchased ..... farms, 2007	452	194	419	703	221	153	177	557
..... 2002	419	184	419	797	205	233	187	547
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,270	1,858	29,261	5,255	18,066	1,083	5,440	27,634
..... 2002	1,134	761	19,588	4,125	8,334	453	1,979	17,015
Gasoline, fuels, and oils ..... farms, 2007	802	359	596	1,224	540	259	834	1,022
..... 2002	613	372	527	1,374	500	285	672	722
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,010	935	2,553	1,752	3,884	619	4,706	2,331
..... 2002	497	463	2,162	1,644	2,342	273	2,258	1,531
Utilities (see text) ..... farms, 2007	260	165	253	480	225	107	263	352
..... 2002	203	202	315	523	261	86	242	304
..... \$1,000, 2007	357	466	1,647	812	2,053	105	683	1,025
..... 2002	195	299	1,747	933	1,131	116	625	614
Supplies, repairs, and maintenance ..... farms, 2007	760	342	565	1,158	496	254	784	968
..... 2002	578	369	548	1,262	498	260	609	792
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,453	1,466	3,148	2,764	3,604	615	3,402	3,435
..... 2002	765	1,726	3,982	3,989	3,742	764	3,826	3,145
Hired farm labor ..... farms, 2007	77	66	113	179	124	38	159	118
..... 2002	70	113	133	141	150	33	212	160
..... \$1,000, 2007	1,134	2,391	4,226	5,366	8,658	(D)	2,941	13,793
..... 2002	1,272	593	3,690	5,971	6,542	95	4,002	9,390
Contract labor ..... farms, 2007	24	25	45	74	21	10	32	42
..... 2002	23	37	44	52	44	12	81	39
..... \$1,000, 2007	352	172	394	702	979	11	266	1,630
..... 2002	609	254	403	1,469	729	33	487	(D)
Customwork and custom hauling ..... farms, 2007	33	32	67	72	43	20	63	66
..... 2002	62	5	35	26	61	5	46	44
..... \$1,000, 2007	68	110	474	163	539	13	161	(D)
..... 2002	31	12	423	(D)	779	1	188	32
Cash rent for land, buildings, and grazing fees ..... farms, 2007	59	49	96	147	109	18	140	94
..... 2002	47	16	84	138	150	14	83	69
..... \$1,000, 2007	112	571	611	467	4,299	59	1,715	1,341
..... 2002	77	48	583	565	1,862	(D)	1,999	1,226
Rent and lease expenses for machinery, equipment, and farm share of vehicles ..... farms, 2007	17	7	21	27	34	8	13	33
..... 2002	15	7	15	27	12	1	43	44
..... \$1,000, 2007	7	9	482	28	380	6	136	190
..... 2002	15	4	115	(D)	471	(D)	397	957
Interest expense ..... farms, 2007	113	57	147	203	111	34	129	152
..... 2002	41	37	80	253	142	53	140	159
..... \$1,000, 2007	799	421	1,533	1,693	1,275	250	1,630	2,230
..... 2002	285	603	1,168	2,021	1,221	261	1,935	1,894
Secured by real estate ..... farms, 2007	91	39	122	176	90	26	92	130
..... 2002	35	25	73	227	111	43	123	111
..... \$1,000, 2007	692	324	1,258	1,428	1,057	175	1,235	1,173
..... 2002	261	576	1,018	1,845	1,079	252	1,469	1,703
Not secured by real estate ..... farms, 2007	74	39	63	106	54	22	99	82
..... 2002	19	14	28	62	51	10	52	75
..... \$1,000, 2007	108	97	275	265	218	75	395	1,057
..... 2002	24	26	150	175	142	10	466	191
Property taxes paid ..... farms, 2007	761	328	558	1,117	492	243	792	950
..... 2002	592	374	506	1,309	506	288	561	803
..... \$1,000, 2007	689	616	857	1,244	831	436	1,186	1,511
..... 2002	399	570	622	1,995	998	248	1,087	993
All other production expenses (see text) ..... farms, 2007	231	134	290	442	215	88	230	367
..... 2002	315	184	285	520	225	98	250	383
..... \$1,000, 2007	398	1,306	5,851	1,467	4,232	166	2,085	2,425
..... 2002	647	1,188	2,111	2,002	6,074	107	1,970	1,907
Depreciation expenses claimed (see text) <sup>1</sup> ..... farms, 2007	164	128	204	320	196	62	263	204
..... 2002	118	140	184	291	180	34	149	254
..... \$1,000, 2007	767	1,749	4,139	2,857	3,962	487	3,006	3,159
..... 2002	441	1,061	4,533	3,363	2,813	99	2,713	3,716

<sup>1</sup> 2002 data are based on a sample of farms.

<sup>2</sup> 2002 data do not include breeding livestock leased.