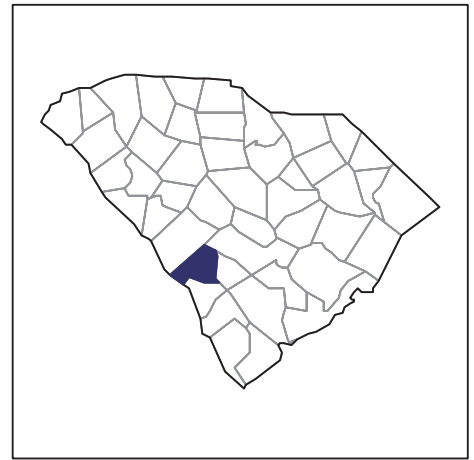


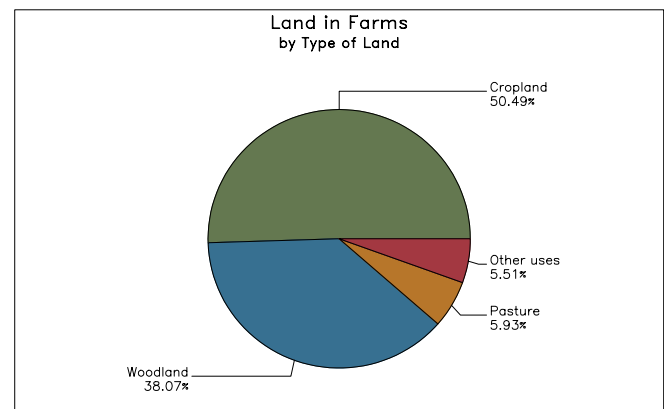
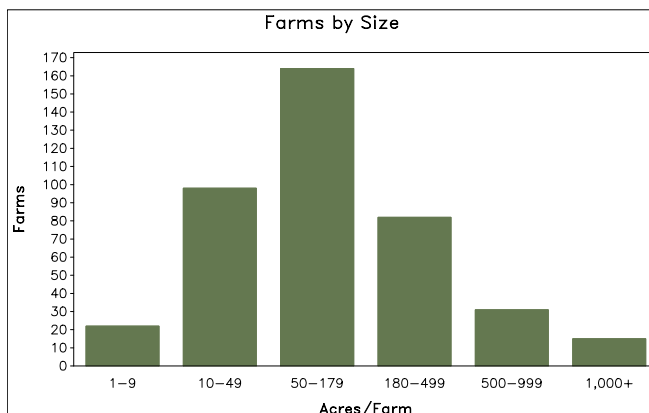
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Barnwell County South Carolina



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	412	370	+ 11
Land in Farms	92,679 acres	85,114 acres	+ 9
Average Size of Farm	225 acres	230 acres	- 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$21,044,000	\$7,068,000	+ 198
Crop Sales \$9,246,000 (44 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$11,798,000 (56 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$51,078	\$19,102	+ 167
Government Payments	\$1,689,000	\$981,000	+ 72
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,746	\$6,764	+ 15



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Barnwell County – South Carolina

Ranked items among the 46 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	21,044	36	46	2,217	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	9,246	29	46	1,910	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	11,798	26	46	1,930	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	4,086	16	45	1,562	2,933
Tobacco	(D)	14	15	(D)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	970	13	33	360	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,385	13	46	696	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	129	36	45	1,279	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	38	45	(D)	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	40	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	2,225	9	46	783	3,054
Poultry and eggs	9,580	25	46	572	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,221	27	46	2,545	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	16	27	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	17	45	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	23	18	46	2,193	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	3,024
Aquaculture	13	17	29	987	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(Z)	37	43	2,784	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Corn for grain	10,379	12	44	1,158	2,634
Soybeans for beans	7,876	14	44	1,088	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	4,045	26	46	2,452	3,060
Cotton, all	2,965	13	33	347	627
Peanuts for nuts	2,909	6	26	105	347
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	(D)	19	39	(D)	2,476
Layers	177,633	6	46	296	3,024
Pullets for laying flock replacement	(D)	9	40	(D)	2,627
Cattle and calves	4,587	30	46	2,501	3,060
Hogs and pigs	(D)	18	46	(D)	2,958

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	200	Farming	148
\$1,000 to \$2,499	31	Other	264
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	53	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	16	Male	354
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Female	58
\$25,000 to \$39,999	7		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.0
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	16	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	10	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$500,000 or more	11	Asian	5
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	20,971	Black or African American	36
Average per farm (\$)	50,902	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	527
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	3,320	More than one race	13
Average per farm (\$)	8,058	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	10

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.