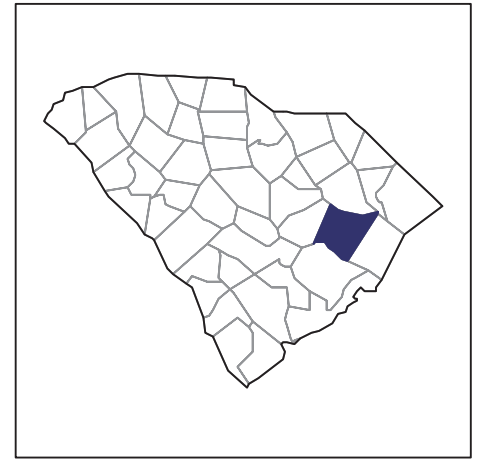


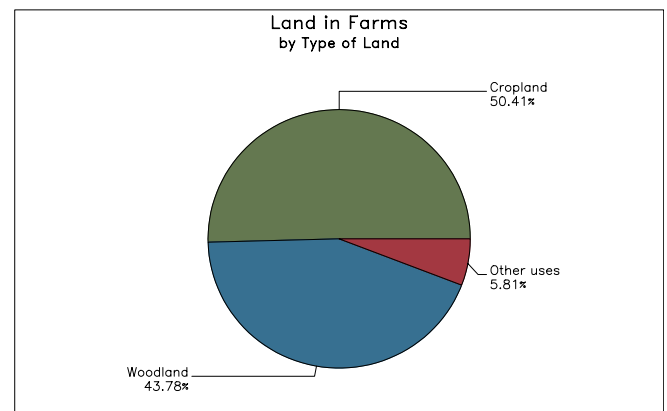
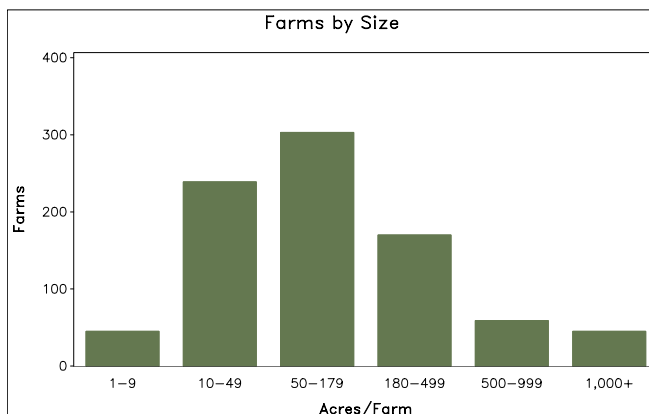
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Williamsburg County South Carolina



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	861	681	+ 26
Land in Farms	209,402 acres	205,904 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	243 acres	302 acres	- 20
Market Value of Products Sold	\$42,449,000	\$27,644,000	+ 54
Crop Sales \$30,072,000 (71 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$12,377,000 (29 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$49,302	\$40,594	+ 21
Government Payments	\$3,738,000	\$2,734,000	+ 37
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,416	\$6,685	+ 11



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Williamsburg 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	42,449	20	46	1,710	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	30,072	10	46	1,214	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	12,377	25	46	1,893	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	12,836	8	45	1,151	2,933
Tobacco	7,189	4	15	51	437
Cotton and cottonseed	2,027	9	33	289	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,095	9	46	568	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	45	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	3,621	16	45	586	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	3	40	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	1,529	12	46	1,124	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	26	46	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	1,043	29	46	2,599	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(D)	25	27	(D)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	5	45	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	10	34	46	2,613	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	60	37	46	2,078	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	10	20	43	2,052	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	30,419	7	44	689	2,039
Corn for grain	23,559	7	44	874	2,634
Cotton, all	8,757	7	33	240	627
Wheat for grain, all	6,214	9	43	896	2,481
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	3,003	32	46	2,586	3,060
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	460,065	20	39	402	2,476
Hogs and pigs	(D)	4	46	(D)	2,958
Cattle and calves	4,682	29	46	2,493	3,060
Layers	683	32	46	1,932	3,024
Horses and ponies	644	25	46	1,951	3,066

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	436	Farming	299
\$1,000 to \$2,499	63	Other	562
\$2,500 to \$4,999	68		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	88	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	56	Male	710
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Female	151
\$25,000 to \$39,999	24		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.6
\$50,000 to \$99,999	37		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	29	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	19	American Indian or Alaska Native	1
\$500,000 or more	19	Asian	3
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	40,172	Black or African American	307
Average per farm (\$)	46,657	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	828
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	9,354	More than one race	12
Average per farm (\$)	10,864	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-

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.