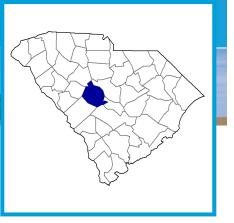
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### Lexington County South Carolina

#### Total and Per Farm Overview, 2022 and change since 2017

	2022	% change since 2017
Number of farms	822	-28
Land in farms (acres)	79,450	-23
Average size of farm (acres)	97	+7
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	331,830,000	+49
Government payments	1,203,000	+101
Farm-related income	3,203,000	-20
Total farm production expenses	239,916,000	+45
Net cash farm income	96,319,000	+56
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	403,686	+107
Government payments <sup>a</sup>	32,520	+475
Farm-related income <sup>a</sup>	18,951	+46
Total farm production expenses	291,869	+101
Net cash farm income	117,177	+116



### Percent of state agriculture sales

#### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	23
Livestock, poultry, and products	77

#### Land in Farms by Use (acres)

Cropland	37,161
Pastureland	7,581
Woodland	26,279
Other	8,429

#### Acres irrigated: 11,500

14% of land in farms

#### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	6
Intensive till	9
Cover crop	9

Farms by Value of Sale	S		Farms by Size		
	Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>		Number	Percent of Total <sup>b</sup>
Less than \$2,500	407	50	1 to 9 acres	102	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999	95	12	10 to 49 acres	374	45
\$5,000 to \$9,999	73	9	50 to 179 acres	250	30
\$10,000 to \$24,999	90	11	180 to 499 acres	84	10
\$25,000 to \$49,999	40	5	500 to 999 acres	4	(Z)
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	2	1,000+ acres	8	1
\$100,000 or more	101	12			



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#### Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	<b>Sales</b> (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>c</sup>	Counties Producing Item
Total	331,830	2	46	428	3,078
Crops	75,785	6	46	1,034	3,074
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	4,463	25	46	1,806	2,917
Tobacco	-	-	12	-	267
Cotton and cottonseed	3,344	19	30	336	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	1	46	85	2,831
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	10	45	(D)	2,711
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	9,335	9	44	324	2,660
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	104	4	21	309	1,274
Other crops and hay	3,561	14	46	932	3,035
Livestock, poultry, and products	256,045	2	46	235	3,076
Poultry and eggs	253,379	2	46	74	3,027
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	46	(D)	3,047
Milk from cows	-	-	19	_	1,770
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	42	(D)	2,814
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	276	2	46	705	2,967
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	112	24	45	1,466	2,907
Aquaculture	(D)	9	20	(D)	1,190
Other animals and animal products	417	2	44	460	2,909

Producers <sup>d</sup>	1,451	Percent of farms that:		Top Crops in Acres °	
<b>Sex</b> Male Female	871 580	Have internet access	79	Cotton, all 4	(D) ,189 ,457 ,520
<b>Age</b> <35 35 – 64 65 and older	120 749 582	Farm organically	(Z)	0	,331
<b>Race</b> American Indian/Alaska Native Asian	4 9	Sell directly to consumers	5	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2022) Broilers and other	
Black or African American Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander White More than one race	15 1 1,418 4	Hire farm labor	19		,868 ,921 ,024 596 983
<b>Other characteristics</b> Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin With military service New and beginning farmers	28 172 438	Are family farms	98	Layers	(D) 9,763 223 22

<sup>a</sup> Average per farm receiving. <sup>b</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>c</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>d</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm. <sup>e</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. <sup>f</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.