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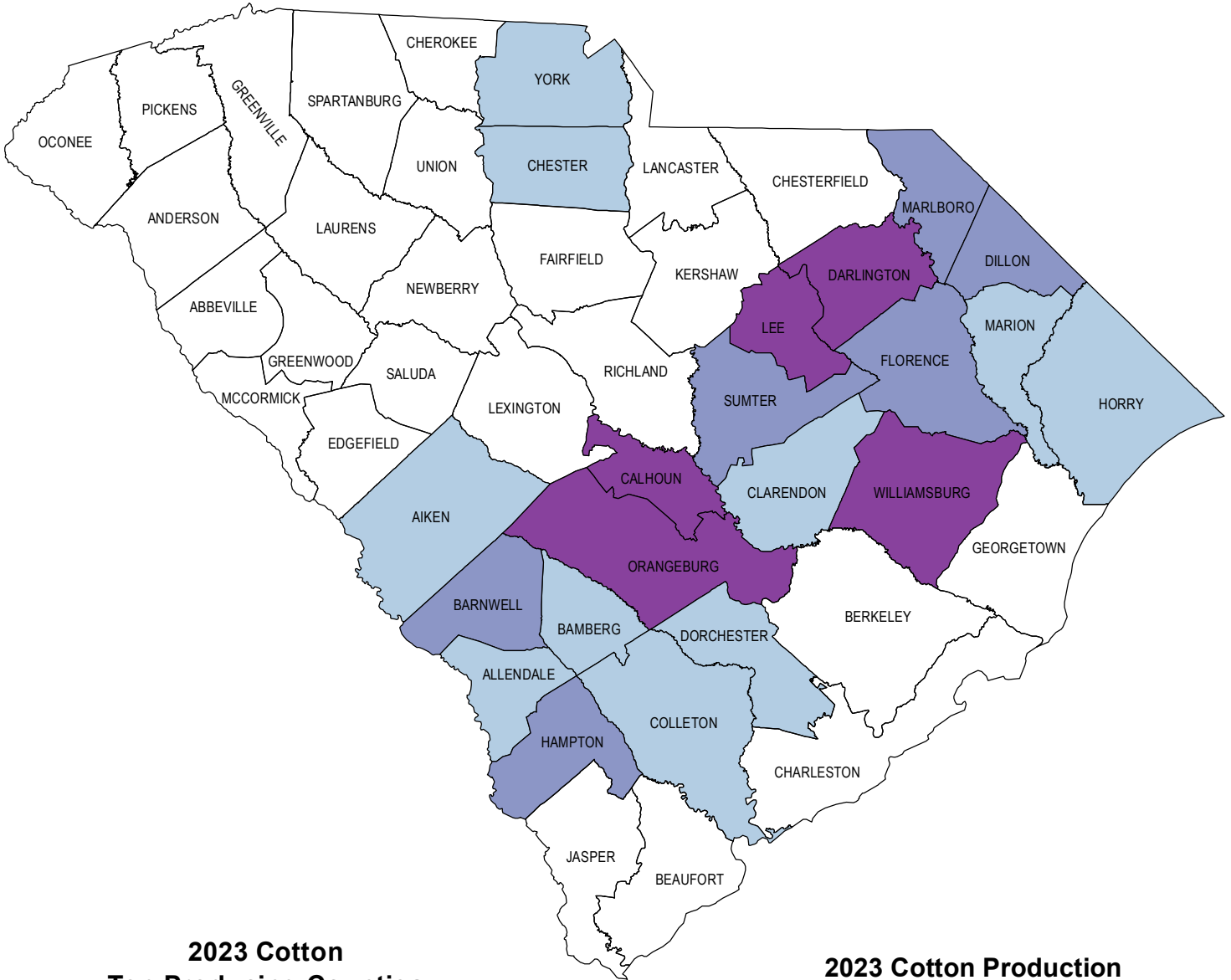
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# South Carolina County Estimates

## Cotton 2022-2023

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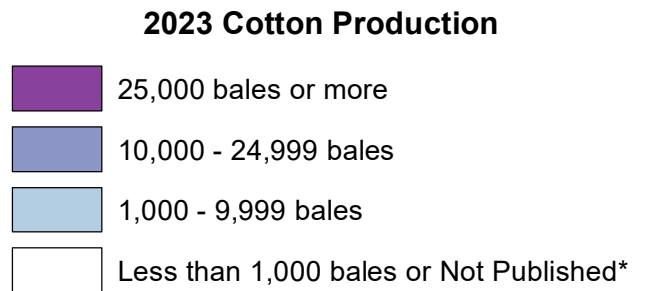
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**2023 Cotton**

**Top Producing Counties**

Darlington	49,600 bales
Orangeburg	45,100 bales
Calhoun	44,200 bales
Lee	37,700 bales
Williamsburg	26,000 bales
<b>State Total</b>	<b>404,000 bales</b>



\* Counties not published due to insufficient data or to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

## Cotton Area Planted and Harvested, Yield, and Production by County – South Carolina: 2022 and 2023

County	2022				2023			
	Planted (acres)	Harvested (acres)	Yield per acre (pounds)	Production <sup>1</sup> (bales)	Planted (acres)	Harvested (acres)	Yield per acre (pounds)	Production <sup>1</sup> (bales)
<b>D20 North Central</b>								
Chester .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,600	3,560	824	6,110
York .....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4,800	4,750	889	8,800
<b>D30 Eastern</b>								
Darlington .....	31,400	31,100	921	59,700	26,900	26,600	895	49,600
Dillon .....	9,900	9,800	813	16,600	9,000	8,910	797	14,800
Florence.....	10,900	10,800	1,004	22,600	9,100	9,000	965	18,100
Horry.....	6,800	6,730	727	10,200	3,500	3,470	938	6,780
Marion.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	2,500	2,480	890	4,600
Marlboro .....	15,900	15,700	847	27,700	12,300	12,100	833	21,000
Williamsburg.....	19,700	19,200	870	34,800	12,600	12,400	1,006	26,000
<b>D40 West Central</b>								
Aiken .....	5,800	5,680	980	11,600	4,300	4,260	970	8,610
<b>D50 Central</b>								
Calhoun .....	22,200	22,000	947	43,400	19,800	19,600	1,082	44,200
Clarendon .....	6,300	6,240	1,000	13,000	4,000	3,960	943	7,780
Lee .....	24,200	23,900	1,064	53,000	20,800	20,500	883	37,700
Orangeburg.....	37,200	36,800	929	71,200	22,300	21,900	988	45,100
Sumter.....	10,200	9,910	1,027	21,200	7,300	7,000	1,097	16,000
<b>D80 Southern</b>								
Allendale.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	3,300	3,270	947	6,450
Bamberg.....	7,400	7,310	814	12,400	4,700	4,650	873	8,460
Barnwell.....	8,400	8,320	969	16,800	6,700	6,630	905	12,500
Colleton .....	2,700	2,640	738	4,060	3,400	3,330	850	5,900
Dorchester .....	7,700	7,470	803	12,500	4,500	4,380	865	7,890
Hampton.....	12,200	12,000	952	23,800	11,600	11,400	964	22,900
Other counties total.....	31,100	30,400	796	50,440	13,000	12,850	923	24,720
<b>State total .....</b>	<b>270,000</b>	<b>266,000</b>	<b>911</b>	<b>505,000</b>	<b>210,000</b>	<b>207,000</b>	<b>937</b>	<b>404,000</b>

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<sup>1</sup> 480-lb. net weight bales.