

Land Area and Population Density

County	Land Area (Sq. Mi.)	2020 Census	Persons Per Sq. Mi.*	County	Sorted by Land Area (Sq. Mi.)	County	Sorted by Persons Per Sq. Mi.*
Abbeville	508	24,295	47.82	1. Horry	1,134	1. Greenville	665.23
Aiken	1,073	168,808	157.32	2. Orangeburg	1,106	2. Richland	550.46
Allendale	408	8,039	19.70	3. Berkeley	1,098	3. Charleston	444.22
Anderson	718	203,718	283.73	4. Aiken	1,073	4. Lexington	420.59
Bamberg	393	13,311	33.87	5. Colleton	1,056	5. York	413.62
Barnwell	548	20,589	37.57	6. Williamsburg	934	6. Spartanburg	404.44
Beaufort	587	187,117	318.77	7. Charleston	919	7. Beaufort	318.77
Berkeley	1,098	229,861	209.35	8. Georgetown	815	8. Horry	309.55
Calhoun	380	14,119	37.16	9. Spartanburg	811	9. Anderson	283.73
Charleston	919	408,235	444.22	10. Florence	800	10. Dorchester	280.94
Cherokee	393	56,216	143.04	11. Chesterfield	799	11. Pickens	264.39
Chester	581	32,294	55.58	12. Greenville	790	12. Berkeley	209.35
Chesterfield	799	43,273	54.16	13. Richland	756	13. Lancaster	174.89
Clarendon	607	31,144	51.31	14. Kershaw	726	14. Florence	171.32
Colleton	1,056	38,604	36.56	15. Anderson	718	15. Sumter	158.73
Darlington	561	62,905	112.13	16. Laurens	715	16. Aiken	157.32
Dillon	405	28,292	69.86	17. Lexington	699	17. Greenwood	152.09
Dorchester	575	161,540	280.94	18. Fairfield	687	18. Cherokee	143.04
Edgefield	502	25,657	51.11	19. York	682	19. Oconee	125.77
Fairfield	687	20,948	30.49	20. Sumter	665	20. Darlington	112.13
Florence	800	137,059	171.32	21. Jasper	656	21. Laurens	94.46
Georgetown	815	63,404	77.80	22. Newberry	631	22. Kershaw	90.09
Greenville	790	525,534	665.23	23. Oconee	625	23. Georgetown	77.80
Greenwood	456	69,351	152.09	24. Clarendon	607	24. Orangeburg	76.15
Hampton	560	18,561	33.14	25. Beaufort	587	25. Dillon	69.86
Horry	1,134	351,029	309.55	26. Chester	581	26. Newberry	59.78
Jasper	656	28,791	43.89	27. Dorchester	575	27. Marion	59.68
Kershaw	726	65,403	90.09	28. Darlington	561	28. Chester	55.58
Lancaster	549	96,016	174.89	29. Hampton	560	29. Marlboro	55.56
Laurens	715	67,539	94.46	30. Lancaster	549	30. Chesterfield	54.16
Lee	410	16,531	40.32	31. Barnwell	548	31. Union	53.00
Lexington	699	293,991	420.59	32. Union	514	32. Clarendon	51.31
Marion	489	29,183	59.68	33. Abbeville	508	33. Edgefield	51.11
Marlboro	480	26,667	55.56	34. Edgefield	502	34. Abbeville	47.82
McCormick	360	9,526	26.46	35. Pickens	497	35. Jasper	43.89
Newberry	631	37,719	59.78	36. Marion	489	36. Saluda	41.73
Oconee	625	78,607	125.77	37. Marlboro	480	37. Lee	40.32
Orangeburg	1,106	84,223	76.15	38. Greenwood	456	38. Barnwell	37.57
Pickens	497	131,404	264.39	39. Saluda	452	39. Calhoun	37.16
Richland	756	416,147	550.46	40. Lee	410	40. Colleton	36.56
Saluda	452	18,862	41.73	41. Allendale	408	41. Bamberg	33.87
Spartanburg	811	327,997	404.44	42. Dillon	405	42. Williamsburg	33.22
Sumter	665	105,556	158.73	43. Bamberg	393	43. Hampton	33.14
Union	514	27,244	53.00	44. Cherokee	393	44. Fairfield	30.49
Williamsburg	934	31,026	33.22	45. Calhoun	380	45. McCormick	26.46
York	682	282,090	413.62	46. McCormick	360	46. Allendale	19.70
South Carolina	30,109	5,118,425	170.00				
U.S.	3,537,438	331,449,281	93.70				

*Persons per square mile calculated with 2020 Census population.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau; www.census.gov