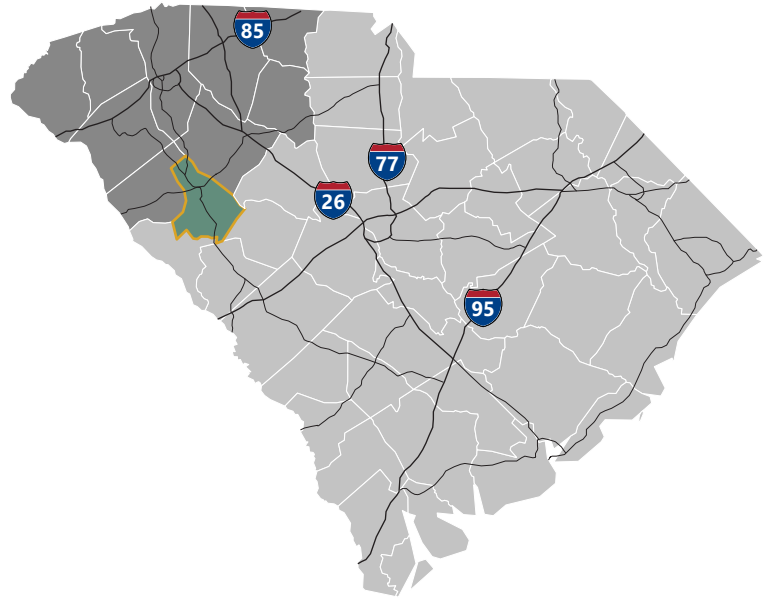


About Greenwood

The county takes its name from its county seat, the City of Greenwood, which was named around 1824 for the plantation of an early resident, John McGehee, Jr. Since 1950, Greenwood County has experienced diversified industrial growth with construction of new factories by major corporations. The county is home to the George W. Park Seed Company, Fuji Photo Film's North American manufacturing complex, and Velux, whose research and development divisions are on the cutting edge of science and technology. Piedmont Technical College and Lander University in Greenwood provide quality educational opportunities for individuals to acquire the knowledge and skills for employment in engineering, industrial technology, business, health, liberal arts, and public service, or for transfer to senior colleges and universities such as Lander University, in Greenwood since 1872.



Total Population

	2010	2017	2022
Greenwood County	69,661	70,166	70,765
Upstate SC	1,362,073	1,460,785	1,533,257
South Carolina	4,625,364	5,037,131	5,348,199

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Population by Age

	2010	2017	2022
Under 5	6.8%	6.4%	6.1%
5 to 9	6.2%	6.3%	6.2%
10 to 14	6.6%	6.1%	6.4%
15 to 24	14.8%	13.3%	12.8%
25 to 34	12.2%	13.4%	12.8%
35 to 44	12.6%	11.7%	12.0%
45 to 54	13.5%	12.6%	11.7%
55 to 64	12.1%	12.6%	12.6%
65+	15.2%	17.7%	19.4%

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Population by Sex

	2010	2017	2022
Female	37,007	37,074	37,236
Male	32,654	33,092	33,529

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Population by Race

	2010	2017	2022
White	62.9%	61.9%	61.2%
Black	31.4%	31.4%	31.4%
American Indian/ Alaska Native	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%
Asian	0.8%	1.2%	1.4%
Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Some Other Race	3.5%	3.8%	4.1%
Two or More Races	1.2%	1.4%	1.7%
Hispanic Origin (Any Race)	5.4%	5.9%	6.3%

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Households & Families

	2010	2017	2022
Total Households	27,547	27,930	28,222
Total Families	18,438	18,447	18,532
Average HH Size	2.43	2.42	2.42
Renter Occupied	30.7%	31.2%	31.2%
Owner Occupied	58.0%	57.5%	57.3%

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Education Attainment, Age 25+

	2017
Less than 9th Grade	6.2%
9th to 12th Grade, No Diploma	11.6%
High School Graduate	23.5%
GED/ Alternative Credential	5.8%
Some College, No Degree	17.7%
Associate Degree	10.8%
Bachelor's Degree	16.9%
Graduate/ Professional Degree	7.5%

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

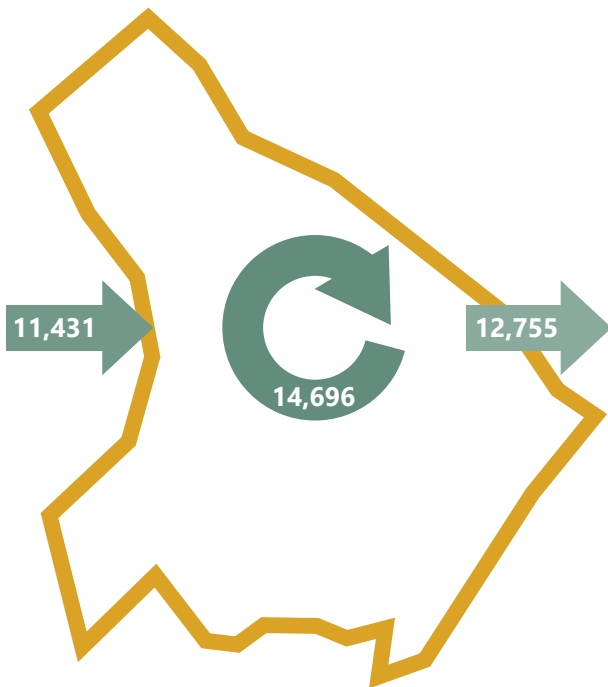


COMMUTING PATTERNS

Travel Distance to Work

Less than 10 miles	49.5%
10-24 miles	14.0%
25-50 miles	16.1%
50 miles or more	20.4%

Worker Inflow/Outflow



Live and Work in Greenwood County	14,696
Commute into Greenwood County	11,431
Commute Out of Greenwood County	12,755

Median Household Income

	2017	2022
Greenwood County	\$39,275	\$41,786
South Carolina	\$48,678	\$54,740
United States	\$56,124	\$62,316

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Per Capita Income

	2017	2022
Greenwood County	\$22,997	\$24,246
South Carolina	\$26,262	\$29,962
United States	\$30,820	\$34,828

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau

Gross Retail Sales (x\$1,000)

Fiscal Year	Greenwood County
2011 - 2012	\$1,241,709
2012 - 2013	\$1,345,698
2013 - 2014	\$1,338,650
2014 - 2015	\$1,323,576
2015 - 2016	\$2,127,029
2016 - 2017	\$2,290,773

Source: South Carolina Department of Revenue and Taxation

Employment by Industry





Agriculture/Mining	1.4%
Construction	5.4%
Manufacturing	24.0%
Wholesale Trade	3.0%
Retail Trade	9.1%
Transportation/Utilities	3.9%
Information	0.9%
Finance/Insurance/Real Estate	2.9%
Services	47.2%
Public Administration	2.1%
Total	28,776

Source: ESRI Business Analyst; US Census Bureau; US Bureau of Labor Statistics

Top 5 Manufacturing Employers

Company	Employees	Primary Product(s)
Fuji Photo Film, Inc.	1,500	Photographic products
Carolina Pride Foods, Inc.	938	Pork processing
Eaton Corporation	800	Switchgears & switchboard equipment
Capsugel (A Division of Pfizer, Inc.)	675	Gelatin capsules
Ascend Performance Materials	623	Film & glass products

Source: South Carolina Appalachian Council of Governments and Greenwood Partnership Alliance

 Airport Access Greenville Spartanburg International - Allegiant Air - American Airlines - Delta - Southwest Airlines - United Airlines Greenwood County Airport	 Port Access Inland Port Greer - 63 Miles from the City of Greenwood - 253,728 Rail Lifts in 2016 - 1.9% Growth from 2015 Port of Charleston - 171 Miles from the City of Greenwood - 1,996,275 Rail Lifts in 2016 - 1.2% Growth from 2015	 Interstate Access Interstates - 16 Miles to I-385 - 19 Miles to I-26	 Rail Access Rail Providers - CSX
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