

**FOOD STAMP PARTICIPATION
OCTOBER 2009**

State/County	Current Month			Fiscal Year (July 2009 To Date)		
				Monthly Average		Total Benefits
	Households	Persons	Benefits	Households	Persons	
State Total	338,670	761,506	\$100,070,774	329,064	743,042	\$388,008,369
Abbeville	2,106	4,304	552,309	2,069	4,229	2,156,340
Aiken	11,161	26,280	3,532,270	10,843	25,667	13,682,977
Allendale	1,610	3,579	467,884	1,573	3,516	1,828,834
Anderson	12,971	30,704	4,029,906	12,603	29,944	15,647,011
Bamberg	2,000	4,088	530,779	1,967	4,035	2,069,189
Barnwell	2,639	6,146	794,519	2,592	6,045	3,094,908
Beaufort	6,841	15,627	2,102,363	6,508	14,977	8,054,308
Berkeley	10,359	24,672	3,286,217	9,960	23,816	12,562,049
Calhoun	1,295	2,753	349,408	1,251	2,675	1,362,547
Charleston	20,288	43,743	5,755,596	19,715	42,713	22,275,402
Cherokee	6,242	13,838	1,845,643	6,138	13,648	7,285,239
Chester	4,418	9,483	1,283,062	4,298	9,301	4,965,577
Chesterfield	5,219	11,617	1,520,032	5,109	11,406	5,919,402
Clarendon	4,759	9,924	1,258,067	4,681	9,818	4,939,305
Colleton	4,458	10,060	1,281,280	4,323	9,800	4,948,786
Darlington	7,863	17,580	2,246,759	7,714	17,305	8,777,119
Dillon	3,840	9,189	1,094,873	3,742	8,965	4,263,846
Dorchester	7,062	17,193	2,295,588	6,752	16,430	8,634,047
Edgefield	2,143	4,829	616,711	2,101	4,740	2,417,030
Fairfield	3,001	6,037	800,141	2,939	5,946	3,115,406
Florence	13,761	31,191	4,024,083	13,378	30,522	15,669,152
Georgetown	5,443	12,142	1,524,105	5,320	11,914	5,941,215
Greenville	25,905	57,756	7,728,173	25,105	56,194	29,978,367
Greenwood	6,056	13,275	1,779,084	5,936	13,086	6,953,741
Hampton	2,325	5,547	702,757	2,249	5,406	2,711,692
Horry	20,695	44,774	6,004,055	19,863	43,290	23,152,954
Jasper	2,521	5,982	818,239	2,448	5,857	3,201,655
Kershaw	4,471	10,350	1,340,014	4,357	10,153	5,215,483
Lancaster	7,457	16,115	2,208,230	7,230	15,745	8,578,079
Laurens	5,621	13,109	1,709,358	5,517	12,898	6,699,506
Lee	2,848	6,151	772,471	2,825	6,114	3,045,450
Lexington	13,321	32,493	4,422,271	12,911	31,568	17,090,609
McCormick	991	1,798	238,943	962	1,766	919,665
Marion	4,508	9,598	1,173,829	4,438	9,436	4,577,478
Marlboro	3,261	6,958	862,606	3,195	6,804	3,376,522
Newberry	3,409	7,324	957,357	3,329	7,101	3,717,099
Oconee	4,350	10,635	1,329,155	4,193	10,304	5,083,934
Orangeburg	12,764	26,659	3,531,314	12,488	26,177	13,802,553
Pickens	6,019	14,578	1,768,530	5,821	14,091	6,793,751
Richland	25,001	54,415	7,538,156	24,227	53,153	29,225,388
Saluda	1,635	3,378	435,351	1,592	3,330	1,696,615
Spartanburg	15,021	35,737	4,459,496	14,514	34,620	17,169,812
Sumter	11,069	24,638	3,190,969	10,862	24,271	12,453,397
Union	2,607	5,490	677,132	2,524	5,361	2,616,548
Williamsburg	5,155	10,800	1,371,487	5,065	10,649	5,348,490
York	12,181	28,967	3,860,202	11,841	28,267	14,989,892

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