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Abbeville	25,100	17.1%	4,300	65%	15%	20%
Aiken	162,991	14.6%	23,840	60%	13%	27%
Allendale	10,027	27.9%	2,800	58%	32%	11%
Anderson	189,763	13.6%	25,880	63%	15%	22%
Bamberg	15,649	23.9%	3,750	56%	21%	23%
Barnwell	22,287	21.2%	4,730	66%	16%	18%
Beaufort	168,453	11.6%	19,460	49%	19%	33%
Berkeley	188,835	13.9%	26,250	51%	17%	31%
Calhoun	15,031	17.6%	2,640	57%	22%	21%
Charleston	365,674	15.6%	56,920	55%	11%	35%
Cherokee	55,707	17.1%	9,520	71%	14%	16%
Chester	32,708	20.0%	6,530	64%	23%	13%
Chesterfield	46,333	18.4%	8,520	72%	17%	11%
Clarendon	34,439	21.0%	7,240	64%	20%	16%
Colleton	38,247	18.2%	6,970	70%	25%	5%
Darlington	68,161	19.9%	13,530	64%	18%	19%
Dillon	31,529	23.2%	7,300	74%	18%	9%
Dorchester	142,772	13.5%	19,330	48%	17%	35%
Edgefield	26,573	15.7%	4,190	52%	12%	36%
Fairfield	23,382	22.1%	5,180	58%	24%	18%
Florence	138,058	18.9%	26,070	58%	16%	26%
Georgetown	60,389	17.1%	10,350	62%	12%	26%
Greenville	467,087	12.9%	60,320	58%	11%	30%
Greenwood	69,708	17.9%	12,470	63%	15%	23%
Hampton	20,670	19.8%	4,100	56%	21%	23%
Horry	283,280	14.3%	40,440	64%	14%	22%
Jasper	26,042	16.7%	4,340	64%	31%	6%
Kershaw	62,342	14.3%	8,930	62%	18%	21%
Lancaster	79,515	15.2%	12,080	65%	9%	26%
Laurens	66,390	16.1%	10,670	69%	17%	15%
Lee	18,708	23.0%	4,310	60%	27%	14%
Lexington	270,263	11.6%	31,350	57%	13%	30%
McCormick	10,003	19.2%	1,920	46%	18%	37%
Marion	32,411	24.1%	7,810	66%	20%	14%
Marlboro	28,294	23.9%	6,770	63%	17%	21%
Newberry	37,593	14.7%	5,510	58%	21%	21%
Oconee	74,656	12.6%	9,440	74%	9%	17%
Orangeburg	91,262	24.2%	22,130	59%	25%	16%
Pickens	119,577	13.4%	15,960	66%	12%	23%
Richland	393,707	18.3%	71,900	46%	17%	37%
Saluda	19,973	14.1%	2,820	67%	21%	12%
Spartanburg	288,728	14.5%	42,010	61%	16%	23%
Sumter	107,782	19.2%	20,690	53%	27%	21%
Union	28,329	17.8%	5,050	56%	27%	17%
Williamsburg	33,560	24.3%	8,150	62%	25%	13%
York	235,285	13.4%	31,490	51%	14%	35%
State Total^b	4,832,482	16.4%	794,590	56.4%	15.9%	27.7%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure individuals living in households with incomes within the income bands indicated. Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds which can vary by state.

⁶Population and food insecurity data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state. All data in the state totals row pertaining to the cost of food or the "Meal Gap" reflect state-level data and are not aggregations of either counties or congressional districts.



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1	728,626	12.3%	89,340	45%	13%	42%
2	686,952	13.4%	92,000	50%	14%	36%
3	666,489	15.5%	103,140	62%	15%	23%
4	703,720	14.1%	99,500	60%	13%	26%
5	684,083	17.4%	118,950	56%	15%	29%
6	673,637	24.7%	166,130	58%	23%	19%
7	688,975	18.2%	125,530	59%	15%	26%

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