

Agriculture Publications

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Agricultural Extension Publications

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service (CSREES)

The Extension Service was established within the Department of Agriculture on July 1, 1923. The Department has evolved and changed much over the years. Its current iteration is the Cooperative State Research, Education, and Extension Service (CSREES). It is the education, outreach and research agency of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) that partners with the states. CSREES thus serves as the federal partner of the nationwide system of agricultural research and cooperative extension -- which includes 74 state and territorial land-grant colleges, including the District of Columbia -- and staffs in nearly all of the counties and parishes in the United States.

Key Publications

TITLE	CALL NUMBER
General Publications	A 43.2:
	A 94.2:CT
	A 106.2:
Regulations, Rules, Instructions	A 43.16:
Handbooks, Manuals, Guides	A 43.16/2:
	A 94.8:CT
	A 106.8:CT
Extension Review	A 43.7:
	A 106.10:
Agricultural Research	A 106.9:
Agricultural Research Results	A 106.13:

Publications from South Carolina

All Agricultural Extension Publications from South Carolina are cataloged and listed in the Online Catalog. Most of these documents are included in the South Carolina State Document Collection on Level 3. Some titles are included in the main collection, and are shelved by call number along with books and other periodicals. The three primary publications in the main collection are:

TITLE	CALL NUMBER	LOCATION
Bulletin (previous title Extension Bulletin)	S537 .C6 C62 eb	Level 6
Circular (previous title Extension Circular)	S537 .C6 C62 ec	Level 6
Annual Report	S544.3 .S6 C6	Level 6

Many different publications have similar titles, so a keyword search is often the easiest way to find a particular publication:

K=south carolina and extension and bulletin K=extension and handbook

Publications from states other than South Carolina

We maintain a collection of publications from states other than South Carolina. Publications from North Carolina and Georgia are permanently added to our collection. Publications from states other than South Carolina, North Carolina, or Georgia are retained for 5 years and then discarded. Publications are arranged alphabetically by state, and then alphabetically by publication name (bulletin, circular, etc.) These items are not individually cataloged, so they are not listed in the online catalog. Most extension publications from states other than South Carolina are shelved on Level 3, directly after the South Carolina State Document Section. Occasionally, Extension publications of wide general interest are cataloged and included in the main library collection.

Agricultural Experiment Station Publications

United States Department of Agriculture (USDA)

Office of Experiment Stations, Agricultural Research Service (ARS)

The Office of Experiment Stations was established within the Department of Agriculture in 1923. The Office has undergone several changes, and was one of the groups which was consolidated into the Agricultural Research Administration (ARA), renamed the Agricultural Research Service (ARS) in 1953. The ARS is the principal in house research agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA). It is one of the four component agencies of the Research, Education, and Economics (REE) mission area.

Key Publications

TITLE	CALL NUMBER
Report on Agricultural Experiment Stations	A 10.1/2:
	A 77.401/2:
General Publications	A 10.2:CT
	A 77.402:CT
Regulations, Rules, and Instructions	A 77.406:
Bulletins	A 10.3:
Circulars	A 10.4:
Miscellaneous Bulletins	A 10.5:
Experiment Station Record	A 10.6:
	A 77.408:
Experiment Station Letters	A 94.12:

Publications from South Carolina

All publications from the Clemson Agricultural Experiment Station are cataloged and listed in the Online Catalog. Most of these documents are included in the South Carolina State Document Collection on Level 3. Most of the time, they are under the call number AG8333. Some titles are included in the main collection, and they are shelved by call number along with books and other periodicals. The primary publications in the main collection are:

TITLE	CALL NUMBER	LOCATION
Annual Report	S111.E9	Level 6
Bulletin	S111 .E9b	Level 6
A.E. (Agricultural Economics Bulletin)	S111 .E3 S7	Level 6
Circular	S111 .E9c	Level 6
Technical Bulletin	S111 .E9t	Level 6

There are many different publications with similar titles, so a keyword search is often the easiest way to find a particular publication: K=dairy and experiment station K=clemson and mimeo and series K=agricultural chemical series

Publications from states other than South Carolina

Some publications from Agricultural Experiment Stations in states other than South Carolina are included in the main collection, and are listed in the Online Catalog. Other publications are included in the United States Department of Agriculture collection in Public Documents on Level 3. Many of these are listed in the Online Catalog. As for other materials, it is best to do a keyword search to identify these publications.

Older Publications on Microfiche

We have a small collection of older publications Experiment Publications on microfiche. The bulk of this small collection is from Utah State University. At the present time, these materials are not listed in the Online Catalog. They are kept in "Drawer H" of "Cabinet 4" in the Public Documents Department.

Older Publication on Microfilm

We have a historical collection of publications from Experiment Stations in each state. The dates and holdings vary widely by state. At the present time, these materials are not listed in the Online Catalog, so it is probably easiest to check with staff in the Documents Department to access these materials. They are kept in "Drawers A – H" in "Cabinet 5" in Public Documents on Level 3.