

Welcome to Swansea, South Carolina

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Swansea is a town in [Lexington County](#), [South Carolina](#), [United States](#). The population was 533 at the 2000 census.



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Geography

Swansea is located at [33°44′14″N, 81°6′8″W](#) (33.737090, -81.102244)^{[GR1](#)}.

According to the [United States Census Bureau](#), the town has a total area of [3.1 km²](#) (1.2 [mi²](#)). [2.9 km²](#) (1.1 [mi²](#)) of it is land and [0.1 km²](#) (0.1 [mi²](#)) of it (4.20%) is water.

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Demographics

As of the [census](#)^{[GR2](#)} of 2000, there were 533 people, 224 households, and 154 families residing in the town. The [population density](#) was [182.1/km²](#) (469.9/[mi²](#)). There were 262 housing units at an average density of [89.5/km²](#) (231.0/[mi²](#)). The racial makeup of the town was 79.22% [White](#), 12.15% [African American](#), 0.75% [Asian](#), 0.38% from [other races](#), and 1.50% from two or more races. [Hispanic](#) or [Latino](#) of any race were 0.38% of the population.

There were 224 households out of which 33.0% had children under the age of 18 living with them, 40.6% were [married couples](#) living together, 24.1% had a female householder with no husband present, and 31.3% were non-families. 29.5% of all households were made up of individuals and 11.2% had someone living alone who was 65 years of age or older. The average household size was 2.38 and the average family size was 2.92.

In the town the population was spread out with 26.3% under the age of 18, 8.4% from 18 to 24, 26.3% from 25 to 44, 22.1% from 45 to 64, and 16.9% who were 65 years of age or

older. The median age was 36 years. For every 100 females there were 76.5 males. For every 100 females age 18 and over, there were 70.9 males.

The median income for a household in the town was \$32,708, and the median income for a family was \$39,306. Males had a median income of \$33,000 versus \$24,583 for females. The [per capita income](#) for the town was \$16,007. About 14.6% of families and 14.5% of the population were below the [poverty line](#), including 21.2% of those under age 18 and 11.0% of those age 65 or over.