

BIC/NAPIA TOUR OPTIONS

MUSSER FRUIT RESEARCH FARM

Most of Clemson University's interdisciplinary fruit research takes place at the 240-acre Musser Fruit Research Center. Faculty researchers, county extension agents and specialists are working together to solve the problems of the peach industry. The Peach Team is an interdisciplinary team of researchers and extension agents that provide research-based information to advance the fruit industry in South Carolina and beyond.





THE BOTTOMS

"The Bottoms" is home to three agriculture climate solutions (Climate Smart Agriculture, Regenerative Organic Agriculture, & Restoration Agriculture). The Restoration Agriculture Farm demonstrates the use of berms and swales to protect crops from flooding and the ecological restoration of farmland by planting a mix of trees and shrubs that mimic the natural oak-pine forests of our region. The farm features 28 different tree and shrub species, including unique cultivars, that are edible or beneficial to wildlife.



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CAMPUS TOUR

Clemson University is located in Upstate South Carolina. Main campus encompasses 1,400 acres of forest, lake and farmland in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Clemson enrolls more than 28,000 students and is classified as one of the nation's most active research institutions Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education.





PACKAGE DYNAMICS LAB

The Package Dynamics Laboratory is a fully functional, state of the art,lab capable of reproducing shock, vibration, and compressive forces all while controlling temperature and relative humidity for a variety of packaged product sizes. This lab provides equipment and facilities for undergraduate hands-on experiences, graduate student research, and testing services for industry partners.