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The 2018 ranking of the Grant Thornton South Carolina private companies includes many dynamic companies in multiple industries. While each year the ranking experiences some changes, highlights of changes from last year are:

- 1. total revenue was approximately the same while the number of employees declined by 12 percent**
- 2. revenue for manufacturing declined seven percent with a decrease in employment of 25 percent, and distribution showed a decrease in revenue of two percent and a decrease in employment of 21 percent between years**

(\$ amounts in Billions)



2018 RANKINGS

	CATEGORY	#	REVENUE	EMPLOYEES	
2018	MANUFACTURERS	23	\$9.1	29,836	\$24.0
	DISTRIBUTORS	18	\$6.0	5,187	
	ALL OTHER	59	\$8.9	42,891	
	#AMOUNTS IN BILLIONS	100	\$24.0	77,914	
2017	MANUFACTURERS	22	\$9.8	39,722	\$24.0
	DISTRIBUTORS	21	\$6.1	6,565	
	ALL OTHER	56	\$8.1	42,445	
	#AMOUNTS IN BILLIONS	100	\$24.0	88,732	

2018 TOP COMPANIES

Mungo Homes, Inc. broke into the top 10 companies for 2018. There were some changes in the ranking between 2017 and 2018 as indicated in the following table.

2018	2017	COMPANY
1	1	Milliken & Company
2	4	Novolex Holdings, LLC
3	3	J.M. Smith Corporation
4	2	The Intertech Group, Inc. and Affiliates
5	5	Southeastern Freight Lines, Inc.
6	6	Quality Business Solutions, Inc.
7	7	Lincoln Oil Co., Inc.
8	11	Mungo Homes, Inc.
9	9	Greystar Real Estate Partners, LLC
10	8	Carolina Eastern Inc.

2018 RANK MOVEMENT

The 2018 ranking included the addition of nine companies joining the ranking for the first time or after an absence.

2018	COMPANY
24	Nephron, Inc. and Subsidiaries
52	Mashburn Construction Company
53	Frampton Construction Company, LLC
63	NaturChem Inc.
92	Alpha Genesis, Inc.
95	Palmetto Metal Products, Inc.
97	C. Ray Miles Construction Company, Inc.
99	Intellectual Capitol
100	Sojourner Caughman & Thomas, LLC

SIGNIFICANT RANK JUMPS FROM 2017

Companies that moved up in the ranking by 10 or greater for 2018:

INCREASE	COMPANY
13	Infrastructure Consulting & Engineering, PLLC
12	J.L. Anderson Co., Inc.
11	A3 Communications, Inc.
11	Builders Wholesale Flooring, LLC
11	Sumter Packaging Corporation
10	JEAR Logistics, LLC

MORE THAN \$1 BILLION

#	COMPANY	CITY	CEO	BUSINESS DESCRIPTION
1	Milliken & Company	Spartanburg	Halsey Cook	Diversified Industrial Products Manufacturer
2	Novolex Holdings, LLC	Hartsville	Stanley B. Bikulege	Manufacturer of a family of North American based packaging products
3	J M Smith Corporation	Spartanburg	A. Alan Turfe	Pharmaceutical distribution and pharmacy technology systems
4	The Intertech Group, Inc. and Affiliates	North Charleston	Anita G. Zucker and Jonathan M. Zucker	Diversified company with core operations and investments in consumer, industrial, real estate and financial services
5	Southeastern Freight Lines, Inc.	Lexington	W. T. Cassels, Jr.	LTL Motor Carrier
6	Quality Business Solutions, Inc.	Travelers Rest	Pamela Evette	Provides a wide and comprehensive range of benefits and services
7	Lincoln Oil Co., Inc.	Greenville	James E. Farish Jr.	Wholesale petroleum, biofuels, trucking and petroleum storage

\$100 MILLION TO \$999 MILLION

#	COMPANY	CITY	CEO	BUSINESS DESCRIPTION
8	Mungo Homes, Inc.	Irmo	Steven W. Mungo	Residential real estate development, homebuilding, investment and property management
9	Greystar Real Estate Partners, LLC	Charleston	Robert A. Faith	Investor, developer and operator of multifamily real estate assets
10	Carolina Eastern Inc.	Charleston	Alton C. Phillips	Distributor of Fertilizer, Seed, and Ag chemicals
11	Mount Vernon Mills, Inc.	Mauldin	David Hastings	Diversified and integrated manufacturer of textile, chemical and related products
12	Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP	Columbia	James K. Lehman	Legal Services
13	Blanchard Machinery Company	Lexington	Joseph R. Blanchard	Heavy Equipment dealer that specializes in CAT products. Parts, Sales, services and rental of Heavy Equipment and Power generation equipment
14	EDENS Investment Trust	Columbia	Jodie McLean	Retail SC owner and developer; national
15	Metromont Corporation	Greenville	Richard H. Pennell, Jr.	Engineering and manufacturing of structural and architectural precast concrete solutions
16	M. B. Kahn Construction Co., Inc.	Columbia	William H. Neely	General Construction, Construction Management, Construction Management at Risk, and Design-Build
17	Comporium, Inc.	Rock Hill	Bryant Barnes	Diversified communications company
18	Spartanburg Forest Products, Inc.	Greer	Steve Michael	Sell, distribute, manufacture, pressure treated lumber and all related products
19	Thompson Construction Group, Inc.	Sumter	Greg A. Thompson	Provider of industrial construction, maintenance, building construction and disaster recovery services
20	Dearybury Oil & Gas Inc.	Spartanburg	C.W. Dearybury Jr.	Wholesale distributor of petroleum and distillates
21	Southeastern Paper Group, Inc.	Spartanburg	E. Lewis Miller, Jr.	Distribution of disposable paper, plastics and cleaning supplies
22	JHM Enterprises, Inc.	Greenville	H.P. Rama	Developer, owner and operator of upscale hotels
23	AM Conservation Group, Inc.	Charleston	John Bailes	Provider of energy and water saving products and related services to utilities, municipalities, contractors, distributors, and retailers
24	Nephron, Inc. and Subsidiaries	West Columbia	Lou Kennedy	Blow-fill seal (BFS) manufacturing of generic respiratory medications with a mission to deliver safe, affordable medication to patients in need
25	Medical Services of America	Lexington	Ronnie L. Young	Home Health care services, rental and sale of home medical equipment and supplies

26	Spirit Communications	Columbia	Robert Keane	Fiber based communications service provider
27	Essex Homes Holding Company, Inc.	Lexington	Karl Haslinger	Construction of single-family residential homes
28	Cregger Company Inc.	West Columbia	Matthew Cregger	Plumbing, Electrical, HVAC ,Appliances and Lighting distribution
29	McCrary Construction Company LLC	Columbia	Allen Amsler	General Contractor specializing in non-residential construction
30	AGY Holding Corp.	Aiken	Patrick J. Burns	Manufacturer of advanced glass fibers that are used as reinforcing materials in numerous high-value applications, including aircraft laminates, ballistic armor, thermoplastic applications, architectural fabrics and specialty electronics
31	The Beach Company	Charleston	John C. Darby	Full Service real estate-sales, leasing, development, management
32	Diamond Hill Plywood Company, Inc.	Darlington	John C. Ramsey	Wholesale distribution of building materials, along with manufacturing of hardwood/plywood
33	Prestage Farms of South Carolina	Camden	Ron Prestage	Live turkey production
34	Broad River Furniture, Inc.	Fort Mill	Charlie Malouf	Home furnishings
35	G&P Trucking Company, Inc.	Gaston	G. Clifton Parker	Truckload transportation of freight
36	Terminix Service, Inc.	Columbia	Marion A. Knox Jr.	Termite and Pest Control company
37	Palmetto Corp. of Conway	Conway	Shawn Godwin	Heavy Highway Civil Contractor
38	Industrial Packaging Supplies, Inc.	Fountain Inn	Jerry Murdock	Wholesale distribution of packaging materials
39	CoLinx, LLC	Greenville	Donavan Louis	Logistics and ecommerce services
40	Human Technologies, Inc.	Greenville	Herb W. Dew	Multi-faceted human resource advisory firm
41	Eldeco, Inc.	Greenville	Allen McKinney	Electrical Subcontractor
42	H G Reynolds Company Inc.	Aiken	Jeffrey Reynolds	General contractor

\$50 MILLION TO \$99 MILLION

#	COMPANY	CITY	CEO	BUSINESS DESCRIPTION
43	Thompson Industrial Services, LLC	Sumter	Josh Chambers	Provider of industrial cleaning and maintenance services
44	Builders Wholesale Flooring, LLC	West Columbia	Wayne Martin	Residential wholesale flooring
45	Commercial Food Service Tech 24	Greenville	Kurt Herwald	Installation, maintenance and repair of food service equipment
46	Life Cycle Engineering, Inc.	Charleston	Bob Fei	Professional Service Firm providing solutions to both commercial and government customers
47	The Ritedose Corporation	Columbia	Jody Chastain	Contract pharmaceutical manufacturer
48	Defender Services, Inc.	Hopkins	John N. McCarter, Jr.	Provides facilities services: Janitorial, Staffing, and Grounds Maintenance
49	JEAR Logistics, LLC	Mount Pleasant	Mark Neumeyer	Provide third-party transportation of products throughout the continental United States and Canada
50	Dilmar Holdings, Inc.	Florence	Earle Atkinson III and Gray Atkinson	Petroleum distributor, oil recycling, commercial & multi family real estate
51	The Yahnis Company, Inc.	Florence	Byron Yahnis and Jimmy Yahnis	Wholesale Beverage Distribution
52	Mashburn Construction Company	Columbia	Paul Mashburn	Full-service construction company providing preconstruction services, construction management, design-build and general contracting services
53	Frampton Construction Company, LLC	Ladson	Chad Frampton	Full-service construction firm offering planning and design support, preconstruction, construction services, and sustainability services

54	Roebuck Buildings Co., Inc.	Roebuck	Dean Anderson	General Contractor
55	Springs Creative Products Group, LLC	Rock Hill	Derick Close	Develops textile-related products in Fabric, Crafts & Accessories, Home & Lifestyle, and Technical & Specialty Fabrics
56	Vino.com, LLC	Mount Pleasant	Dave J. Pardus	Importer and supplier of beverage alcohol products
57	Trehel Corporation	Greenville	Will W. Huss, Jr.	Design Build General Contractor
58	Gregory Electric Company, Inc.	Columbia	Robert E. Livingston, Jr.	Electrical and mechanical construction operating in - commercial, institutional, industrial, and utilities

LESS THAN \$50 MILLION

#	COMPANY	CITY	CEO	BUSINESS DESCRIPTION
59	McMillan Pazdan Smith LLC	Greenville	Joseph M. Pazdan	Architecture, interior design and planning firm
60	PCI Group, Inc.	Fort Mill	Christian Kropac, Jr.	Complete customer communications resource for businesses in which client-centric data is key, and efficiency, and security are paramount
61	Interstate Management & Investment Corporation	Columbia	Bert Pooser	Own, operate and manage hotels throughout FL, NC, SC and TN
62	A3 Communications, Inc.	Irmo	Brian Thomas	Systems integrator, provider of IT and security solutions
63	NaturChem Inc.	Lexington	Rom D. Kellis III	Providing vegetation management services for the governmental, municipal, industrial, and private markets
64	New South Construction Supply, LLC	Greenville	James R. Sobeck	Building products distribution
65	H. R. Allen, Inc.	Charleston	Rod Allen	Industrial and commercial electrical contractor
66	Turbeville Insurance Agency, Inc.	Columbia	Bill Turbeville	Insurance Agency
67	AME, Inc.	Fort Mill	Jeff P. Campbell	Industrial Contracting
68	WALDROP, Inc.	Greer	William Caldwell	Mechanical Contractor
69	Infrastructure Consulting & Engineering, PLLC	Columbia	Elham Farzam	Civil Engineering and related services
70	Infinity Marketing Solutions, Inc.	Greenville	Tony Williams	Full-service advertising agency
71	Electric Guard Dog, LLC	Columbia	Mark Wesley	Electric security partner for commercial and industrial locations across US
72	Palmetto Synthetics LLC	Kingstree	Henry Postron	Producer of Synthetic Fibers
73	Companion Professional Services, LLC	Columbia	Terry M. Floyd	An information technology consulting group dedicated to providing innovative and cost-effective IT solutions primarily to the healthcare industry.
74	Sumter Packaging Corporation	Sumter	Benjamin T. DeSollar	Industrial packaging manufacture including corrugated shipping containers and specialties
75	Park Place Corporation	Greenville	Jason L. Kelley	Manufacturer of Sleep Systems and Products
76	Dove Print Solutions, Inc.	Florence	Richard B. Coxe	Business technology solutions
77	Delta Pharmacy, Inc.	Moncks Corner	Willis High	Independent Pharmacy
78	Find Great People, LLC	Greenville	John Uprichard	Administrative, accounting and IT Staffing and Direct Hire, Executive Direct Hire, HR Consulting, and Outplacement services
79	J.L. Anderson Co., Inc.	Cheraw	Robert S. Rogers III	Manufacture and wholesale brick and other masonry and building products
80	Piedmont Mechanical, Inc.	Spartanburg	Thomas R. Holt	Mechanical Contractor

81	International Plastics, Inc.	Greenville	Steve McClure	Manufacturer, importer and wholesale supplier of plastic bags and flexible packaging
82	Augusta Fiberglass Coatings, Inc.	Blackville	John W. Boyd	Manufacturing - Fiberglass Reinforced Plastics
83	Dillon Provision Co., Inc. / DilPro	Dillon	Jay Horne	Wholesale Meat Distributor
84	Colite International LTD	Columbia	Martin C. Brown	Full-service sign manufacturing who manages international brand implementation projects
85	VC3, Inc.	Columbia	Sandy Reeser	IT service provider to the private and public sectors
86	Eagle Construction Company	Newberry	Jeff D. Spotts	Heavy Highway Construction
87	RhythmLink International, LLC	Columbia	Shawn Regan	Designs, manufactures and distributes medical devices and provides custom packaging, private labeling, custom products and contract manufacturing
88	GMK Associates, Inc.	Columbia	Thomas P. Monahan	Architecture, engineering (MEP), interior design, design-build, and construction services
89	Carolina Ceramics, LLC	Columbia	Michael Borden	Commercial and Residential Ceramics Brick Manufacturing, Distribution, and Installation
90	Alliance Consulting Engineers, Inc.	Columbia	Deepal Eliatamby	Civil and environmental engineering firm
91	Blue Ridge Log Cabins LLC	Campobello	Milton A. Smith Jr. (Chip)	Modular home manufacturer
92	Alpha Genesis, Inc.	Yemassee	Greg Westergaard	Provides primate products and bio-research services worldwide
93	CHICORA Affiliates, LLC	Myrtle Beach	Don J. Smith	Residential and commercial sales, residential and commercial rental management, land development
94	Greenville Meats, Inc.	Greenville	Gerald Sloan	Meat and poultry processing and distribution
95	Palmetto Metal Products Inc.	Columbia	Lisa Hamilton	Distributor of Doors: Hollow Metal Doors and Frames
96	Dennis Corporation	Columbia	Daniel R. Dennis, III	Engineering, surveying, and construction management firm
97	C. Ray Miles Construction Company, Inc.	Lugoff	C. Ray Miles	Heavy Road Construction
98	Chernoff Newman, LLC	Columbia	W. Lee Bussell, Sr.	Integrated marketing communications
99	Intellectual Capitol	Greenville	Traci Newkirk	Staffing company
100	Sojourner Caughman & Thomas, LLC	Columbia	David C. Sojourner, Jr.	Law firm focused on matters of trusts and estates



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