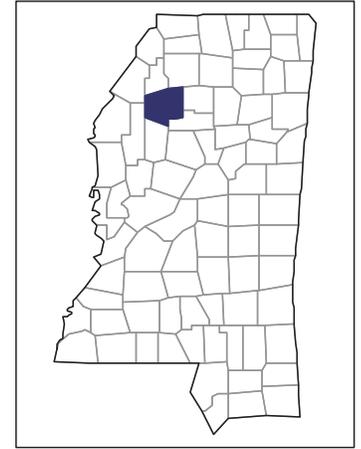


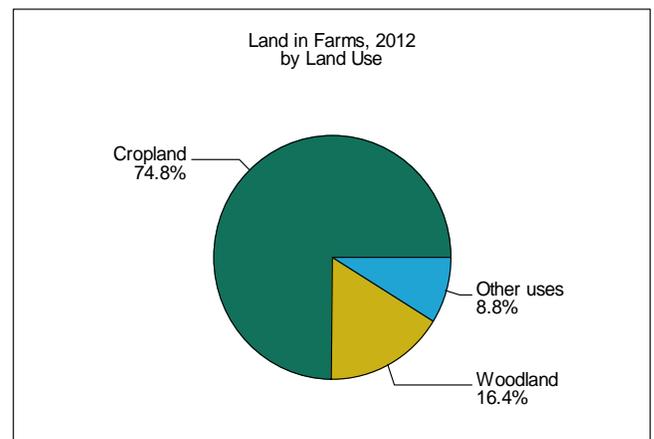
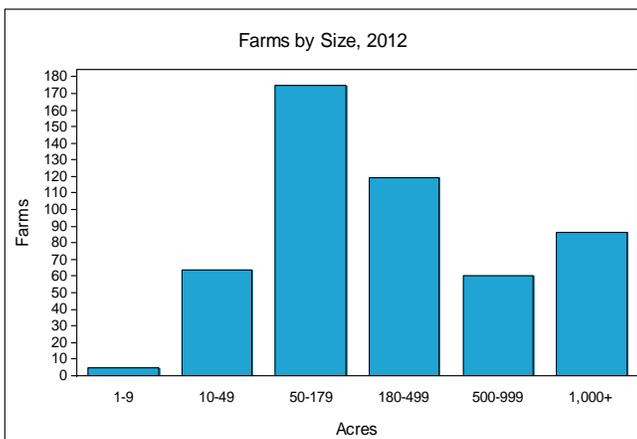
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Tallahatchie County Mississippi

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	509	488	+ 4
Land in Farms	340,711 acres	315,697 acres	+ 8
Average Size of Farm	669 acres	647 acres	+ 3
Market Value of Products Sold	\$165,019,000	\$81,490,000	+ 103
Crop Sales \$163,665,000 (99 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,354,000 (1 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$324,202	\$166,987	+ 94
Government Payments	\$9,164,000	\$8,424,000	+ 9
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$23,438	\$22,891	+ 2





Tallahatchie County – Mississippi

Ranked items among the 82 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	165,019	14	82	711	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	163,665	6	82	337	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,354	77	82	2,835	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	153,093	5	81	255	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	8,638	14	56	196	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	90	56	79	1,889	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	410	18	81	787	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	76	47	69	2,124	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	40	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,360	34	82	1,655	3,049
Poultry and eggs	2	69	75	2,836	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,276	66	81	2,540	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	40	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	59	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	73	74	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	54	78	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	40	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	150,466	4	72	58	2,162
Corn for grain	50,382	6	79	615	2,638
Wheat for grain, all	37,051	2	68	318	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	37,051	2	68	229	2,480
Cotton, all	10,679	14	56	228	635
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	5,364	62	82	2,357	3,063
Colonies of bees	(D)	9	75	(D)	2,761
Horses and ponies	275	71	82	2,588	3,072
Layers	127	68	79	2,860	3,040
Goats, all	45	74	76	2,777	2,996

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	214	Farming	198
\$1,000 to \$2,499	14	Other	311
\$2,500 to \$4,999	20		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	31	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	40	Male	418
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Female	91
\$25,000 to \$39,999	30		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	18	Average age of principal operator (years)	58.8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	21	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	22	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$500,000 or more	72	Asian	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	113,926	Black or African American	77
Average per farm (\$)	223,823	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	608
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	64,357	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	126,439	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.