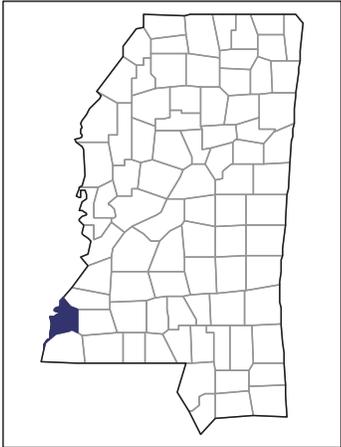


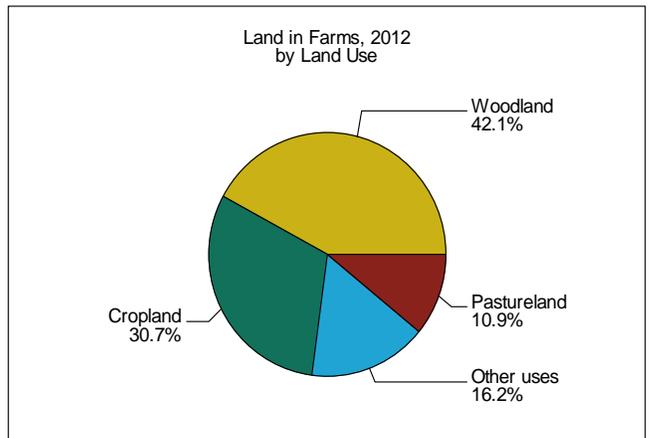
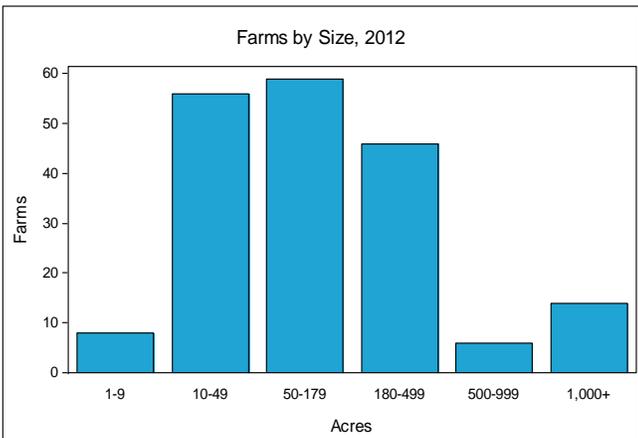
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Adams County Mississippi

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	189	245	- 23
Land in Farms	65,994 acres	69,928 acres	- 6
Average Size of Farm	349 acres	285 acres	+ 22
Market Value of Products Sold	\$9,871,000	\$4,921,000	+ 101
Crop Sales \$8,434,000 (85 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,437,000 (15 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$52,226	\$20,087	+ 160
Government Payments	\$1,107,000	\$586,000	+ 89
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$15,379	\$9,445	+ 63





Adams 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	9,871	76	82	2,680	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,434	45	82	2,184	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,437	76	82	2,825	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	6,860	36	81	1,649	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	79	79	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	283	36	69	1,630	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	40	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	326	73	82	2,602	3,049
Poultry and eggs	4	63	75	2,673	3,013
Cattle and calves	1,001	69	81	2,612	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	40	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	1	52	59	2,694	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	-	-	74	-	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	78	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	5	28	40	1,007	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	6	70	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	7,029	36	72	1,196	2,162
Corn for grain	(D)	(D)	79	(D)	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,927	73	82	2,714	3,057
Cotton, all	(D)	49	56	(D)	635
Upland cotton	(D)	49	56	(D)	635
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Colonies of bees	15,650	1	75	41	2,761
Cattle and calves	2,353	71	82	2,689	3,063
Horses and ponies	428	60	82	2,214	3,072
Layers	230	63	79	2,716	3,040
Goats, all	118	61	76	2,471	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	107	Farming	85
\$1,000 to \$2,499	5	Other	104
\$2,500 to \$4,999	17	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	25	Male	171
\$10,000 to \$19,999	8	Female	18
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	4	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	120
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	4	White	171
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,647	More than one race	-
Average per farm (\$)	51,043	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	2,803		
Average per farm (\$)	14,831		

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.