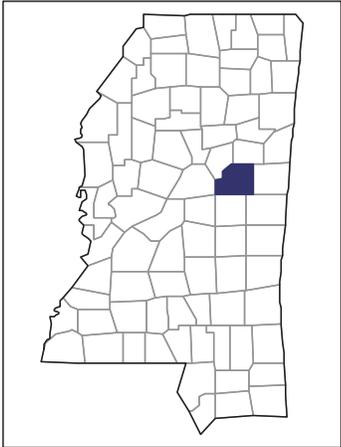


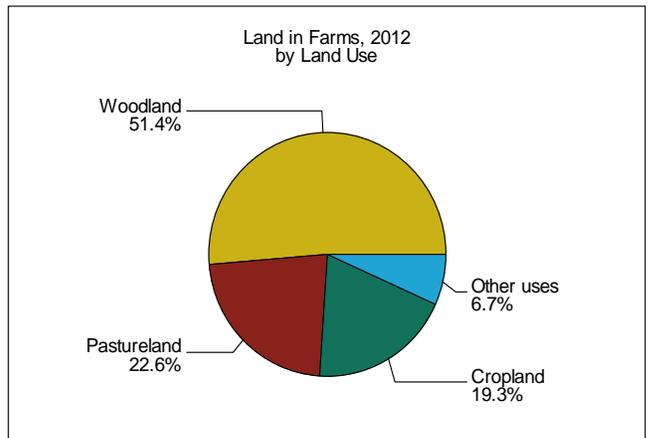
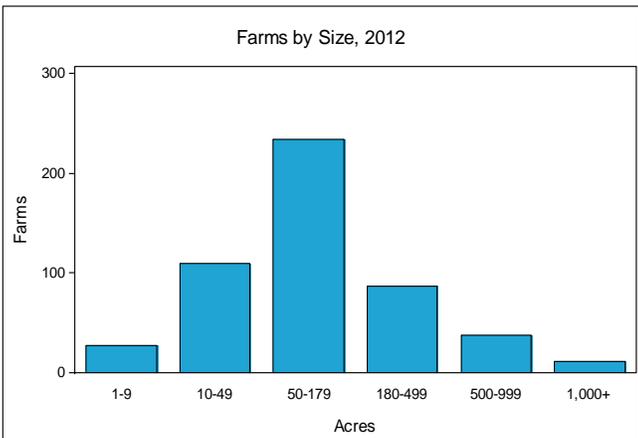
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Winston County Mississippi

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	506	536	- 6
<b>Land in Farms</b>	97,777 acres	95,495 acres	+ 2
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	193 acres	178 acres	+ 8
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$74,701,000	\$40,299,000	+ 85
Crop Sales \$3,362,000 (5 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$71,339,000 (95 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$147,631	\$75,185	+ 96
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$455,000	\$596,000	- 24
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$2,861	\$2,826	+ 1





## Winston County – Mississippi

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	74,701	30	82	1,441	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	3,362	66	82	2,554	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	71,339	18	82	687	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	1,850	56	81	2,077	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	56	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	319	26	79	1,285	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	8	76	81	2,426	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	32	54	69	2,334	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	82	6	40	336	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,072	44	82	1,874	3,049
Poultry and eggs	55,794	16	75	232	3,013
Cattle and calves	2,582	42	81	2,172	3,056
Milk from cows	(D)	40	40	2,037	2,038
Hogs and pigs	12,732	3	59	368	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	12	49	74	2,635	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	131	30	78	1,616	3,011
Aquaculture	(D)	23	40	(D)	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	21	28	70	1,900	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	9,800	25	82	1,639	3,057
Soybeans for beans	1,450	57	72	1,611	2,162
Corn for grain	1,163	46	79	1,866	2,638
Short-rotation woody crops	(D)	6	54	(D)	793
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	56	68	(D)	2,537
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1,923,023	19	68	217	2,723
Layers	211,543	7	79	258	3,040
Pullets for laying flock replacement	196,687	8	62	161	2,637
Hogs and pigs	80,005	2	66	204	2,889
Roosters	31,408	6	57	65	2,120

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	208	Farming	207
\$1,000 to \$2,499	34	Other	299
\$2,500 to \$4,999	67	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	56	Male	439
\$10,000 to \$19,999	48	Female	67
\$20,000 to \$24,999	8	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.4
\$25,000 to \$39,999	26	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11	American Indian or Alaska Native	2
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	1	Black or African American	159
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	34	White	600
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	60,986	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	120,525	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	3
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	15,481		
Average per farm (\$)	30,595		

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.

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