



# Mississippi County Arkansas

## Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	284	-18
Land in farms (acres)	476,502	(Z)
Average size of farm (acres)	1,678	+22
<b>Total (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	300,927,000	-4
Government payments	12,422,000	+26
Farm-related income	6,085,000	-55
Total farm production expenses	208,614,000	-4
Net cash farm income	110,820,000	-8
<b>Per farm average (\$)</b>		
Market value of products sold	1,059,601	+17
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	55,955	+64
Farm-related income	44,096	-37
Total farm production expenses	734,555	+17
Net cash farm income	390,212	+13

**3** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	100
Livestock, poultry, and products	(Z)

### Land in Farms by Use (%) <sup>a</sup>

Cropland	98
Pastureland	(Z)
Woodland	1
Other	1

**Acres irrigated: 350,206**

73% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	26
Reduced till	49
Intensive till	49
Cover crop	17

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	34	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999	3	1
\$5,000 to \$9,999	9	3
\$10,000 to \$24,999	14	5
\$25,000 to \$49,999	15	5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	16	6
\$100,000 or more	193	68

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	15	5
10 to 49 acres	32	11
50 to 179 acres	30	11
180 to 499 acres	43	15
500 to 999 acres	26	9
1,000 + acres	138	49

**Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold**

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. <sup>b</sup>	Counties Producing Item
<b>Total</b>	<b>300,927</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>300,843</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	210,868	2	50	41	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	75,016	1	23	15	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	8	72	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	135	26	72	1,172	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	15	55	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	12,624	1	75	198	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>2,988</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	-	-	72	-	3,007
Cattle and calves	64	75	75	2,705	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	21	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	62	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	63	70	2,491	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	15	51	70	2,232	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	29	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	65	(D)	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>457</b>	<b>Percent of farms that:</b>	<b>Top Crops in Acres <sup>d</sup></b>
<b>Sex</b>		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 278,413
Male	348	<b>78</b>	Cotton, all 92,385
Female	109		Rice 51,935
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Corn for grain 17,558
<35	40	<b>-</b>	Peanuts for nuts 10,915
35 – 64	299		
65 and older	118		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	<b>3</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
Asian	-		Cattle and calves 353
Black or African American	14	Hire farm labor	Goats (D)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>54</b>	Hogs and pigs -
White	439		Horses and ponies 52
More than one race	4	Are family farms	Layers -
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>91</b>	Pullets -
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		Sheep and lambs -
With military service	46		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	97		

See 2017 Census of Agriculture, U.S. Summary and State Data, for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, commodity descriptions, and methodology.

<sup>a</sup> May not add to 100% due to rounding. <sup>b</sup> Among counties whose rank can be displayed. <sup>c</sup> Data collected for a maximum of four producers per farm.

<sup>d</sup> Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at [www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf](http://www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf). <sup>e</sup> Position below the line does not indicate rank.

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations. (NA) Not available. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. (-) Represents zero.