



Attala County Mississippi

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	468	+3
Land in farms (acres)	118,012	-6
Average size of farm (acres)	252	-8
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Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	14,314,000	-38
Government payments	1,532,000	+13
Farm-related income	2,522,000	+40
Total farm production expenses	13,782,000	-27
Net cash farm income	4,586,000	-38
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Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	30,585	-40
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,080	+6
Farm-related income	19,861	+43
Total farm production expenses	29,449	-29
Net cash farm income	9,800	-40

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	30
Livestock, poultry, and products	70

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	19
Pastureland	12
Woodland	63
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 265

(Z)% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	5
Reduced till	3
Intensive till	5
Cover crop	6

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	305	65
\$2,500 to \$4,999	32	7
\$5,000 to \$9,999	57	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	30	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	20	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	2
\$100,000 or more	13	3

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	35	7
10 to 49 acres	96	21
50 to 179 acres	183	39
180 to 499 acres	108	23
500 to 999 acres	24	5
1,000 + acres	22	5

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	Rank in State ^b	Counties Producing Item	Rank in U.S. ^b	Counties Producing Item
Total	14,314	65	82	2,539	3,077
Crops	4,349	53	82	2,426	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,302	50	82	2,051	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	42	59	(D)	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	56	61	80	1,738	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	15	52	78	1,763	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	14	59	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	21	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	882	46	81	1,983	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	9,965	40	82	2,110	3,073
Poultry and eggs	(D)	29	76	(D)	3,007
Cattle and calves	1,824	56	81	2,203	3,055
Milk from cows	(D)	9	23	(D)	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	51	71	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	14	46	72	2,301	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	79	31	74	1,577	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	37	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	-	-	64	-	2,878

Total Producers ^c	740	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Forage (hay/haylage), all
Male	486	54	8,215
Female	254		Soybeans for beans
Age		Farm organically	1,616
<35	55	-	Cotton, all
35 – 64	378		(D)
65 and older	307		Corn for grain
Race		Sell directly to consumers	1,510
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	1	Corn for silage or greenchop
Asian	5		(D)
Black or African American	99	Hire farm labor	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	21	Broilers and other meat-type chickens
White	634		(D)
More than one race	2	Are family farms	Cattle and calves
Other characteristics		97	7,150
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	5		Goats
With military service	91		330
New and beginning farmers	250		Hogs and pigs
			14
			Horses and ponies
			734
			Layers
			803
			Pullets
			259
			Sheep and lambs
			33
			Turkeys
			21

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

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

^d Crop commodity names may be shortened; see full names at www.nass.usda.gov/go/cropnames.pdf. ^e 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.