



Montgomery County Mississippi

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	270	-22
Land in farms (acres)	67,717	-30
Average size of farm (acres)	251	-11
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	14,733,000	-27
Government payments	840,000	-33
Farm-related income	1,347,000	+25
Total farm production expenses	12,169,000	-32
Net cash farm income	4,752,000	+6
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	54,567	-6
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	6,088	-13
Farm-related income	15,309	+51
Total farm production expenses	45,069	-14
Net cash farm income	17,599	+35

(Z) Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	55
Livestock, poultry, and products	45

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	31
Pastureland	17
Woodland	47
Other	5

Acres irrigated: 456

1% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	4
Intensive till	7
Cover crop	(Z)

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	142	53
\$2,500 to \$4,999	34	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999	30	11
\$10,000 to \$24,999	21	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	21	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	5	2
\$100,000 or more	17	6

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	9	3
10 to 49 acres	63	23
50 to 179 acres	90	33
180 to 499 acres	79	29
500 to 999 acres	19	7
1,000 + acres	10	4

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	14,733	64	82	2,532	3,077
Crops	8,129	39	82	2,144	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,610	43	82	1,853	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	3,407	28	59	319	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	12	80	(D)	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	63	78	(D)	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	59	-	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	21	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	6,604	50	82	2,321	3,073
Poultry and eggs	2	69	76	2,067	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	64	81	(D)	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	23	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	71	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	(D)	72	(D)	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	20	49	74	2,150	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	37	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	447	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	62
Male	299		
Female	148	Farm organically	-
Age		Sell directly to consumers	-
<35	43	Hire farm labor	18
35 – 64	220	Are family farms	93
65 and older	184		
Race			
American Indian/Alaska Native	4		
Asian	-		
Black or African American	65		
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-		
White	378		
More than one race	-		
Other characteristics			
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	-		
With military service	53		
New and beginning farmers	150		
			Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
			Broilers and other meat-type chickens
			Cattle and calves
			Goats
			Hogs and pigs
			Horses and ponies
			Layers
			Pullets
			Sheep and lambs
			Turkeys
			Forage (hay/haylage), all
			Cotton, all
			Corn for grain
			Soybeans for beans
			Vegetables harvested, all

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.