



Quitman County Mississippi

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017 and change since 2012

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	275	-21
Land in farms (acres)	198,516	-5
Average size of farm (acres)	722	+20
Total	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	62,079,000	-27
Government payments	9,821,000	+13
Farm-related income	5,244,000	+113
Total farm production expenses	60,480,000	-10
Net cash farm income	16,665,000	-42
Per farm average	(\$)	
Market value of products sold	225,743	-8
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	38,215	+40
Farm-related income	38,845	+108
Total farm production expenses	219,927	+13
Net cash farm income	60,598	-27

1 Percent of state agriculture sales

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	(D)
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^a

Cropland	76
Pastureland	1
Woodland	17
Other	6

Acres irrigated: 80,062

40% of land in farms

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	19
Reduced till	19
Intensive till	25
Cover crop	4

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
Less than \$2,500	151	55
\$2,500 to \$4,999	-	-
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5	2
\$10,000 to \$24,999	23	8
\$25,000 to \$49,999	10	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	3
\$100,000 or more	79	29

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total ^a
1 to 9 acres	2	1
10 to 49 acres	41	15
50 to 179 acres	81	29
180 to 499 acres	49	18
500 to 999 acres	38	14
1,000 + acres	64	23

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	62,079	34	82	1,571	3,077
Crops	(D)	12	82	942	3,073
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	45,070	11	82	806	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	16,803	10	59	112	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	21	70	80	1,946	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	51	39	78	1,534	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	(D)	46	59	(D)	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	21	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	-	-	81	-	3,040
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	82	82	(D)	3,073
Poultry and eggs	-	-	76	-	3,007
Cattle and calves	(D)	78	81	2,738	3,055
Milk from cows	-	-	23	-	1,892
Hogs and pigs	-	-	71	-	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	-	-	72	-	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	-	-	74	-	2,970
Aquaculture	-	-	37	-	1,251
Other animals and animal products	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,878

Total Producers ^c	445	Percent of farms that:	Top Crops in Acres ^d
Sex		Have internet access	Soybeans for beans 79,167
Male	311	61	Cotton, all 25,186
Female	134		Rice 9,402
Age		Farm organically	Corn for grain 8,062
<35	29	-	Wheat for grain, all (D)
35 – 64	218		
65 and older	198		
Race		Sell directly to consumers	Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)
American Indian/Alaska Native	-	1	Broilers and other meat-type chickens -
Asian	1		Cattle and calves (D)
Black or African American	91	Hire farm labor	Goats -
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	44	Hogs and pigs -
White	352		Horses and ponies (D)
More than one race	-	Are family farms	Layers -
Other characteristics		92	Pullets -
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	2		Sheep and lambs -
With military service	51		Turkeys -
New and beginning farmers	170		

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.