



# Tate County Mississippi

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

	2017	% change since 2012
Number of farms	593	+4
Land in farms (acres)	157,718	+3
Average size of farm (acres)	266	-1
<b>Total</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	40,072,000	-10
Government payments	2,548,000	-7
Farm-related income	3,034,000	+87
Total farm production expenses	36,276,000	-5
Net cash farm income	9,379,000	-12
<b>Per farm average</b>	<b>(\$)</b>	
Market value of products sold	67,575	-13
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,583	+5
Farm-related income	13,604	+54
Total farm production expenses	61,173	-9
Net cash farm income	15,815	-16

**1** Percent of state agriculture sales

### Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	71
Livestock, poultry, and products	29

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

Cropland	43
Pastureland	28
Woodland	22
Other	7

**Acres irrigated: 4,659**

3% of land in farms

### Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	5
Intensive till	8
Cover crop	3

## Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
Less than \$2,500	299	50
\$2,500 to \$4,999	47	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	70	12
\$10,000 to \$24,999	56	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	40	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	30	5
\$100,000 or more	51	9

## Farms by Size

	Number	Percent of Total <sup>a</sup>
1 to 9 acres	34	6
10 to 49 acres	165	28
50 to 179 acres	198	33
180 to 499 acres	121	20
500 to 999 acres	40	7
1,000 + acres	35	6

**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>40,072</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>1,948</b>	<b>3,077</b>
<b>Crops</b>	<b>28,498</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>1,446</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	15,194	20	82	1,244	2,916
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	323
Cotton and cottonseed	3,489	25	59	315	647
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	2,073	8	80	555	2,821
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	133	29	78	1,181	2,748
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	3,747	5	59	440	2,601
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	21	-	1,384
Other crops and hay	3,862	4	81	663	3,040
<b>Livestock, poultry, and products</b>	<b>11,574</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>2,015</b>	<b>3,073</b>
Poultry and eggs	36	45	76	1,373	3,007
Cattle and calves	7,118	16	81	1,467	3,055
Milk from cows	4,303	2	23	651	1,892
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	71	(D)	2,856
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	22	34	72	2,167	2,984
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	81	28	74	1,557	2,970
Aquaculture	(D)	29	37	(D)	1,251
Other animals and animal products	7	28	64	1,559	2,878

<b>Total Producers <sup>c</sup></b>	<b>924</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 23,797
Male	625	<b>72</b>	Forage (hay/haylage), all 17,705
Female	299		Cotton, all 5,389
<b>Age</b>		Farm organically	Corn for grain 3,790
<35	53	<b>-</b>	Peanuts for nuts 2,814
35 – 64	510		
65 and older	361		
<b>Race</b>		Sell directly to consumers	<b>Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)</b>
American Indian/Alaska Native	4	<b>4</b>	Broilers and other meat-type chickens 146
Asian	1		Cattle and calves 23,857
Black or African American	83	Hire farm labor	Goats 413
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-	<b>21</b>	Hogs and pigs 62
White	831		Horses and ponies 758
More than one race	5	Are family farms	Layers 1,450
<b>Other characteristics</b>		<b>97</b>	Pullets 114
Hispanic, Latino, Spanish origin	8		Sheep and lambs 308
With military service	98		Turkeys 60
New and beginning farmers	282		

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.