



Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers^a

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Producers.

^a This race alone or in combination with other races.



Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with Asian Producers^a

Data not available at this geographic level for farms with Asian Producers.

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Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with Black or African American Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Black/African American Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	115	444
Land in farms (acres)	14,744	139,236
Average size of farm (acres)	128	314
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	3,186,000	60,780,000
Government payments	211,000	2,939,000
Farm-related income	147,000	2,477,000
Total farm production expenses	3,580,000	44,499,000
Net cash farm income	-37,000	21,697,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	27,704	136,891
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	4,132	13,063
Farm-related income	4,586	15,679
Total farm production expenses	31,132	100,224
Net cash farm income	-319	48,866

Share of Sales by Type (%)

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

Land in Farms by Use (%)^b

Cropland	63
Pastureland	(D)
Woodland	(D)
Other	7

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	1
Reduced till	8
Intensive till	17
Cover crop	1

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	37	32
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	17
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	14
\$10,000 to \$24,999	32	28
\$25,000 to \$49,999	4	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-	-
\$100,000 or more	7	6
Total	115	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	3	3
10 to 49 acres	59	51
50 to 179 acres	34	30
180 to 499 acres	16	14
500 to 999 acres	2	2
1,000 + acres	1	1
Total	115	100

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold		Total Producers ^c	144
	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms	
Total	3,186	115	
Crops	(D)	46	Sex
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	2,619	24	Male 122
Tobacco	-	-	Female 22
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	Age
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	20	4	<35 4
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	-	-	35 – 64 92
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-	65 and older 48
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-	Primary occupation
Other crops and hay	(D)	18	Farming 48
			Other 96
Livestock, poultry, and products	(D)	70	Days worked off farm
Poultry and eggs	(D)	4	None 32
Cattle and calves	(D)	54	1 to 199 56
Milk from cows	-	-	200 + 56
Hogs and pigs	-	-	Other characteristics
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	(D)	2	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish 7
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	4	With military service 25
Aquaculture	-	-	New and beginning farmers 33
Other animals and animal products	2	8	<i>Average age (years)</i> 58.5
Top Crops in Acres ^d		Percent of farms that:	
Soybeans for beans	4,414	Have internet access	59
Forage (hay/haylage), all	(D)	Farm organically	-
Corn for grain	1,378	Sell directly to consumers	2
Vegetables harvested, all	7	Hire farm labor	31
Mustard greens	(D)	Are family farms	89
Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)		Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture	
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	234	The agriculture census is a complete count of U.S. farms and ranches and the people who operate them. Demographic information is available at national, state, and county levels, and for classes of farm and congressional districts. Results from the 2017 Census and earlier are available through the searchable database Quick Stats, the new Census Data Query Tool, downloadable PDF reports, maps, and topic-specific Highlights and Profiles.	
Cattle and calves	(D)	See also the video "What's New in the 2017 Census?" (www.nass.usda.gov/Newsroom/VideoFeatures/index.php).	
Goats	62		
Hogs and pigs	13		
Horses and ponies	72		
Layers	136		
Pullets	30		
Sheep and lambs	(D)		
Turkeys	(D)		

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Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Producers^a

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Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with White Producers^a

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with White Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	339	444
Land in farms (acres)	127,175	139,236
Average size of farm (acres)	375	314
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	58,969,000	60,780,000
Government payments	2,776,000	2,939,000
Farm-related income	2,365,000	2,477,000
Total farm production expenses	41,964,000	44,499,000
Net cash farm income	22,146,000	21,697,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	173,950	136,891
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	15,773	13,063
Farm-related income	18,189	15,679
Total farm production expenses	123,787	100,224
Net cash farm income	65,328	48,866

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	37
Livestock, poultry, and products	63

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	45
Pastureland	13
Woodland	33
Other	9

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	9
Reduced till	11
Intensive till	12
Cover crop	8

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	173	51
\$2,500 to \$4,999	26	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	14	4
\$10,000 to \$24,999	32	9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	26	8
\$50,000 to \$99,999	19	6
\$100,000 or more	49	14
Total	339	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	22	6
10 to 49 acres	77	23
50 to 179 acres	89	26
180 to 499 acres	72	21
500 to 999 acres	51	15
1,000 + acres	28	8
Total	339	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	58,969	339
Crops	21,907	142
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	11,276	62
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	9,632	21
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	299	11
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	29	14
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	672	58
Livestock, poultry, and products	37,062	131
Poultry and eggs	14,655	30
Cattle and calves	3,659	78
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	9,534	3
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	5	7
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	10
Aquaculture	8,798	11
Other animals and animal products	(D)	6

Total Producers ^c

537

Sex

Male	368
Female	169

Age

<35	56
35 – 64	293
65 and older	188

Primary occupation

Farming	140
Other	397

Days worked off farm

None	188
1 to 199	122
200 +	227

Other characteristics

Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	8
With military service	75
New and beginning farmers	174

Average age (years)

57.3

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Soybeans for beans	14,420
Cotton, all	13,325
Forage (hay/haylage), all	9,038
Corn for grain	8,225
Wheat for grain, all	541

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access **82**

Farm organically **-**

Sell directly to consumers **4**

Hire farm labor **32**

Are family farms **91**

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	893,600
Cattle and calves	8,681
Goats	(D)
Hogs and pigs	24,004
Horses and ponies	345
Layers	864
Pullets	171
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	(D)

Demographic Data in the Census of Agriculture

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Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Producers

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Lowndes County, Mississippi Farms with Female Producers

Total and Per Farm Overview, 2017

	Farms with Female Producers	All Farms
Number of farms	186	444
Land in farms (acres)	43,423	139,236
Average size of farm (acres)	233	314
Total	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	7,223,000	60,780,000
Government payments	932,000	2,939,000
Farm-related income	932,000	2,477,000
Total farm production expenses	8,039,000	44,499,000
Net cash farm income	1,047,000	21,697,000
Per farm average	(\$)	(\$)
Market value of products sold	38,831	136,891
Government payments (average per farm receiving)	11,945	13,063
Farm-related income	14,797	15,679
Total farm production expenses	43,221	100,224
Net cash farm income	5,632	48,866

Share of Sales by Type (%)

Crops	29
Livestock, poultry, and products	71

Land in Farms by Use (%) ^b

Cropland	34
Pastureland	20
Woodland	32
Other	14

Land Use Practices (% of farms)

No till	3
Reduced till	10
Intensive till	6
Cover crop	5

Farms by Value of Sales

	Number	Percent ^b
Less than \$2,500	123	66
\$2,500 to \$4,999	15	8
\$5,000 to \$9,999	4	2
\$10,000 to \$24,999	11	6
\$25,000 to \$49,999	13	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	7	4
\$100,000 or more	13	7
Total	186	100

Farms by Size

	Number	Percent ^b
1 to 9 acres	11	6
10 to 49 acres	64	34
50 to 179 acres	49	26
180 to 499 acres	31	17
500 to 999 acres	23	12
1,000 + acres	8	4
Total	186	100

2017 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE Race/Ethnicity/Gender Profile

Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold

	Sales (\$1,000)	No. of Farms
Total	7,223	186
Crops	2,104	61
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, dry peas	1,091	19
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	563	3
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, sweet potatoes	(D)	9
Fruits, tree nuts, berries	(D)	4
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, sod	-	-
Cultivated Christmas trees, short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	177	28
Livestock, poultry, and products	5,119	72
Poultry and eggs	37	18
Cattle and calves	(D)	42
Milk from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, milk	5	7
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, donkeys	(D)	9
Aquaculture	(D)	2
Other animals and animal products	1	3

Total Producers ^c

Age	197
<35	17
35 – 64	110
65 and older	70
Race	
American Indian/Alaska Native	-
Asian	6
Black/African American	22
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	-
White	169
More than one race	-
Primary occupation	
Farming	29
Other	168
Days worked off farm	
None	71
1 to 199	54
200 +	72
Other characteristics	
Hispanic/Latino/Spanish	8
With military service	6
New and beginning farmers	67
Average age (years)	58.4

Top Crops in Acres ^d

Forage (hay/haylage), all	5,546
Soybeans for beans	1,799
Cotton, all	1,154
Corn for grain	352
Wheat for grain, all	126

Percent of farms that:

Have internet access	77
Farm organically	-
Sell directly to consumers	6
Hire farm labor	30
Are family farms	96

Livestock Inventory (Dec 31, 2017)

Broilers and other meat-type chickens	-
Cattle and calves	4,730
Goats	51
Hogs and pigs	(D)
Horses and ponies	228
Layers	627
Pullets	150
Sheep and lambs	-
Turkeys	30

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