

Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 1987

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Mississippi	Adams	Alcorn	Amite	Attala	Benton	Boivar
Farms ----- number...	34 074	159	434	528	427	232	478
Land in farms ----- acres...	10 746 190	93 290	78 027	152 604	112 601	84 509	402 720
Average size of farm ----- acres...	315	587	180	289	264	364	843
Value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm ----- dollars...	215 209	393 692	115 166	265 345	117 754	156 270	582 594
Average per acre ----- dollars...	697	675	664	800	474	499	720
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm ----- dollars...	34 900	28 819	20 264	22 371	24 701	32 108	105 317
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres -----	1 387	12	20	16	13	9	14
10 to 49 acres -----	6 240	30	98	82	37	34	66
50 to 179 acres -----	13 506	51	204	202	182	83	61
180 to 499 acres -----	7 789	31	79	171	148	66	90
500 to 999 acres -----	2 884	17	24	33	34	21	124
1,000 acres or more -----	2 268	18	9	24	13	19	123
Total cropland ----- farms...	29 785	136	390	450	375	210	468
Harvested cropland ----- acres...	6 747 639	50 259	43 410	63 711	46 246	45 415	377 699
Irrigated land ----- farms...	24 305	96	338	316	308	169	461
----- acres...	4 272 651	35 969	27 983	21 468	22 407	29 974	298 187
----- farms...	2 012	-	5	17	13	2	2
----- acres...	636 842	-	(D)	352	356	(D)	137 385
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- \$1,000...	1 862 903	8 336	5 771	13 381	9 369	8 006	79 383
Average per farm ----- dollars...	54 672	52 428	13 297	25 343	21 941	34 509	166 031
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ----- \$1,000...	913 913	7 281	3 316	684	6 643	6 892	71 986
Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- \$1,000...	948 989	1 055	2 455	12 698	2 725	1 115	7 377
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500 -----	11 109	58	170	194	161	73	55
\$2,500 to \$4,999 -----	5 985	32	77	101	101	39	38
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	5 012	23	90	86	54	36	35
\$10,000 to \$24,999 -----	4 070	17	50	63	47	32	27
\$25,000 to \$49,999 -----	1 771	12	18	22	23	11	44
\$50,000 to \$99,999 -----	1 710	3	20	24	20	21	66
\$100,000 or more -----	4 417	14	9	38	21	20	213
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming -----	15 111	63	140	246	191	110	360
Other -----	18 963	96	294	282	236	122	118
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any -----	19 421	93	285	268	240	132	178
200 days or more -----	13 518	61	217	179	146	88	106
Average age of operator ----- years...	53.8	54.2	54.0	55.6	56.3	54.0	49.7
Total farm production expenses ¹ ----- \$1,000...	1 465 201	6 402	5 392	11 428	6 894	5 941	64 341
Average per farm ----- dollars...	42 999	40 265	12 425	21 645	16 145	25 498	134 604
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory ----- farms...	22 482	103	265	454	324	156	20
----- number...	1 147 219	3 671	7 694	30 942	12 525	7 339	1 186
Beef cows ----- farms...	19 008	86	216	340	276	142	16
----- number...	579 312	(D)	3 775	11 599	7 548	(D)	(D)
Milk cows ----- farms...	1 643	2	35	56	14	3	1
----- number...	71 834	(D)	676	4 985	439	(D)	(D)
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms...	22 087	102	254	451	322	147	16
----- number...	638 685	2 905	3 853	17 577	5 550	3 444	480
Hogs and pigs inventory ----- farms...	2 237	21	34	26	41	25	8
----- number...	179 063	355	1 494	156	3 061	787	(D)
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms...	1 622	18	30	15	32	17	9
----- number...	284 630	904	4 345	147	3 755	1 034	(D)
Sheep and lambs inventory ----- farms...	218	4	1	4	2	1	4
----- number...	5 395	51	(D)	30	(D)	(D)	(D)
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory ----- farms...	2 550	16	28	47	42	17	11
----- number...	7 027 574	286	445	678	634	333	279
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ----- farms...	1 129	-	-	-	-	-	1
----- number...	276 652 292	-	-	-	-	-	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed ----- farms...	4 020	5	133	36	60	70	7
----- acres...	120 361	1 094	3 714	1 250	1 483	2 372	88
----- bushels...	9 369 093	123 388	338 243	86 074	115 103	232 880	3 927
Sorghum for grain or seed ----- farms...	1 414	-	20	3	6	13	44
----- acres...	111 250	-	605	(D)	299	1 107	3 618
----- bushels...	6 758 881	-	36 873	(D)	12 861	80 816	221 365
Wheat for grain ----- farms...	1 991	8	10	4	7	7	168
----- acres...	283 477	1 585	670	546	585	817	29 946
----- bushels...	9 674 702	44 095	16 987	27 370	12 255	24 370	1 140 109
Rice ----- farms...	803	-	-	-	-	-	214
----- acres...	195 505	-	-	-	-	-	58 068
----- cwt...	10 466 632	-	-	-	-	-	3 085 847
Cotton ----- farms...	4 225	9	33	-	61	75	187
----- acres...	1 028 249	2 806	(D)	-	8 987	10 687	47 746
----- bales...	1 654 648	5 594	1 996	-	13 858	14 242	75 981
Soybeans for beans ----- farms...	6 475	19	113	4	27	57	404
----- acres...	2 006 263	26 822	15 588	686	4 060	13 091	168 543
----- bushels...	41 329 519	885 894	262 789	(D)	61 488	281 873	4 030 804
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ----- farms...	15 501	67	219	287	224	92	9
----- acres...	585 346	3 733	5 651	18 077	7 081	1 730	236
----- tons, dry...	1 092 059	5 588	9 922	32 037	11 861	2 526	726

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Item	Calhoun	Carroll	Chickasaw	Choctaw	Claiborne	Clarke	Clay
Farms..... number..	419	431	447	228	219	352	393
Land in farms..... acres..	134 874	173 064	145 426	47 224	100 413	74 002	125 223
Average size of farm..... acres..	322	402	325	207	459	210	319
Value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm..... dollars..	152 506	222 227	165 593	108 298	304 693	108 446	158 133
Average per acre..... dollars..	480	529	481	489	648	545	549
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm..... dollars..	39 805	31 576	27 693	22 805	26 773	16 532	31 222
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres.....	10	12	8	7	13	25	17
10 to 49 acres.....	54	50	62	27	76	63	67
50 to 179 acres.....	168	155	186	115	27	137	144
180 to 499 acres.....	118	126	121	60	56	99	110
500 to 999 acres.....	31	54	43	13	23	18	27
1,000 acres or more.....	38	34	27	6	24	10	28
Total cropland..... farms..	406	363	396	200	172	293	338
..... acres..	91 323	75 828	88 737	21 152	36 707	28 655	70 745
Harvested cropland..... farms..	364	287	357	138	112	227	273
..... acres..	61 930	39 135	57 862	9 169	16 860	9 467	44 335
Irrigated land..... farms..	11	9	5	1	8	7	7
..... acres..	780	3 222	(D)	(D)	1 201	31	164
Market value of agricultural products sold..... \$1,000..	15 830	15 849	15 491	3 650	6 015	2 785	12 562
Average per farm..... dollars..	37 780	36 773	34 655	16 009	27 467	7 912	31 964
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... \$1,000..	12 788	8 595	6 664	612	1 637	359	4 679
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... \$1,000..	3 042	7 254	8 826	3 038	4 378	2 426	7 883
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	73	150	137	99	100	140	118
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	99	77	71	56	35	81	63
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	90	69	54	26	21	63	59
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	62	63	78	29	33	45	64
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	23	17	38	12	12	15	35
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	24	22	37	2	8	5	30
\$100,000 or more.....	48	33	32	4	10	3	24
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	209	196	199	64	100	118	168
Other.....	210	235	248	164	119	234	225
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any.....	235	254	288	149	121	231	232
200 days or more.....	154	183	194	111	79	172	178
Average age of operator..... years..	51.5	55.2	52.5	54.3	59.4	55.8	52.3
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000..	13 402	15 140	13 245	3 347	4 132	2 397	10 143
Average per farm..... dollars..	31 987	35 128	29 632	14 682	18 953	6 809	25 874
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms..	235	319	307	165	183	281	275
..... number..	11 910	32 325	22 932	7 535	14 917	11 495	21 662
Beef cows..... farms..	217	286	245	136	160	250	205
..... number..	(D)	12 002	10 029	(D)	(D)	7 159	7 559
Milk cows..... farms..	7	18	22	14	3	11	16
..... number..	(D)	379	705	(D)	(D)	178	766
Cattle and calves sold..... farms..	237	315	297	164	174	274	272
..... number..	6 304	14 382	19 725	3 531	9 043	6 438	19 633
Hogs and pigs inventory..... farms..	36	50	33	24	17	23	47
..... number..	3 917	1 112	(D)	2 892	1 810	1 438	2 341
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms..	28	32	19	21	13	20	32
..... number..	6 526	1 714	(D)	4 593	2 922	4 549	4 060
Sheep and lambs inventory..... farms..	-	1	1	1	1	4	-
..... number..	-	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	80	-
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory..... farms..	22	46	31	22	21	36	33
..... number..	258	972	631	307	1 198	624	606
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms..	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
..... number..	-	-	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed..... farms..	83	53	83	20	27	40	42
..... acres..	2 047	1 448	4 136	272	1 506	680	965
..... bushels..	162 533	140 996	414 289	16 253	117 653	36 645	72 976
Sorghum for grain or seed..... farms..	103	12	31	6	3	2	15
..... acres..	6 946	777	1 324	1 099	152	(D)	720
..... bushels..	376 725	54 978	78 888	48 894	9 850	(D)	50 953
Wheat for grain..... farms..	36	20	29	4	11	2	19
..... acres..	1 480	1 134	2 699	(D)	1 460	(D)	1 964
..... bushels..	46 216	30 204	68 982	6 844	40 826	(D)	67 912
Rice..... farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... acres..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... cwt..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton..... farms..	119	73	10	8	7	1	4
..... acres..	18 554	13 387	1 624	(D)	1 060	(D)	602
..... bales..	23 393	22 740	1 465	622	1 443	(D)	762
Soybeans for beans..... farms..	145	60	166	10	12	3	95
..... acres..	24 425	11 511	39 412	2 746	6 982	(D)	31 501
..... bushels..	437 738	219 702	762 783	32 009	142 676	(D)	682 338
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)..... farms..	196	196	216	115	80	193	173
..... acres..	7 491	9 142	10 476	2 925	4 836	7 407	8 954
..... tons, dry..	10 381	18 481	17 506	5 244	9 950	14 487	15 748

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Item	Coahoma	Copiah	Covington	De Soto	Forrest	Franklin	George
Farms..... number...	237	555	462	503	279	171	340
Land in farms..... acres...	260 026	151 921	79 616	166 003	47 667	47 960	50 590
Average size of farm..... acres...	1 097	274	172	330	171	280	149
Value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm..... dollars...	777 658	182 955	117 664	285 207	139 133	163 918	127 400
Average per acre..... dollars...	745	683	680	945	970	625	1 030
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm..... dollars...	119 243	19 866	16 926	39 169	21 440	26 508	23 295
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres.....	6	18	18	35	20	5	14
10 to 49 acres.....	26	80	110	152	77	19	97
50 to 179 acres.....	33	227	202	169	111	76	159
180 to 499 acres.....	41	185	105	82	52	47	53
500 to 999 acres.....	57	43	18	28	11	14	13
1,000 acres or more.....	74	22	9	37	8	10	4
Total cropland..... farms...	231	460	386	391	247	144	316
Harvested cropland..... acres...	247 337	65 502	35 381	123 692	23 878	18 397	24 689
Irrigated land..... farms...	229	321	305	307	187	102	260
..... acres...	184 893	21 938	15 670	82 039	13 391	7 549	14 274
..... farms...	100	9	9	19	18	2	32
..... acres...	55 557	(D)	105	6 557	(D)	(D)	616
Market value of agricultural products sold..... \$1,000...	58 771	25 972	17 391	20 678	8 181	2 551	5 394
Average per farm..... dollars...	247 981	46 797	37 642	41 109	29 323	14 917	15 866
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops..... \$1,000...	58 615	2 314	1 791	15 919	2 756	1 019	3 078
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... \$1,000...	156	23 658	15 600	4 759	5 425	1 531	2 316
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	25	199	144	185	101	73	135
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	13	105	80	106	58	42	66
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	13	91	90	71	36	19	55
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	17	81	75	56	32	18	45
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	13	16	25	25	17	6	17
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	28	11	9	18	10	9	6
\$100,000 or more.....	128	52	39	42	25	4	16
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	180	225	176	201	113	73	109
Other.....	57	330	286	302	166	98	231
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any.....	83	310	274	335	159	100	240
200 days or more.....	41	230	214	231	105	73	175
Average age of operator..... years...	51.4	56.8	54.8	53.6	55.8	58.0	51.6
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000...	46 380	21 638	13 761	17 835	5 759	1 856	4 198
Average per farm..... dollars...	195 695	38 918	29 657	35 529	20 641	10 854	12 346
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms...	9	454	358	352	196	153	206
..... number...	641	25 426	16 971	16 787	7 295	6 261	7 751
Beef cows..... farms...	9	389	306	299	168	131	175
..... number...	443	14 158	8 288	8 881	3 701	3 209	4 015
Milk cows..... farms...	-	24	14	22	14	10	18
..... number...	-	1 023	135	1 217	489	173	462
Cattle and calves sold..... farms...	10	450	366	340	190	148	189
..... number...	347	14 921	13 043	7 870	4 064	3 355	3 361
Hogs and pigs inventory..... farms...	12	17	23	33	15	6	19
..... number...	319	4 911	199	656	583	191	4 048
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms...	11	9	22	27	10	6	10
..... number...	228	10 197	567	1 205	1 379	(D)	4 424
Sheep and lambs inventory..... farms...	1	-	-	5	2	-	5
..... number...	(D)	-	-	9	2	-	70
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory..... farms...	6	33	38	32	22	25	37
..... number...	154	633	123 813	851	387	438	821
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms...	-	28	21	-	15	1	1
..... number...	-	10 559 575	4 566 314	-	2 594 297	(D)	(D)
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed..... farms...	4	27	44	51	24	26	75
..... acres...	101	2 543	2 012	4 363	766	3 507	1 692
..... bushels...	(D)	186 438	117 548	413 563	66 048	335 000	95 000
Sorghum for grain or seed..... farms...	43	3	-	21	2	-	2
..... acres...	4 230	(D)	-	1 431	(D)	-	(D)
..... bushels...	285 474	(D)	-	82 631	(D)	-	(D)
Wheat for grain..... farms...	89	2	13	45	29	4	21
..... acres...	19 413	(D)	1 590	12 602	3 303	462	2 188
..... bushels...	704 271	(D)	61 629	522 603	142 709	13 571	103 513
Rice..... farms...	53	-	-	3	-	-	-
..... acres...	11 213	-	-	1 395	-	-	-
..... cwt...	590 525	-	-	62 370	-	-	-
Cotton..... farms...	154	8	2	43	-	1	-
..... acres...	64 064	1 246	(D)	13 309	-	(D)	-
..... bales...	122 695	1 737	(D)	21 295	-	(D)	-
Soybeans for beans..... farms...	186	7	13	78	29	9	69
..... acres...	87 516	5 639	2 053	44 293	7 821	1 371	7 400
..... bushels...	1 806 262	142 070	44 906	971 534	204 003	38 112	196 480
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)..... farms...	3	272	253	206	122	89	134
..... acres...	(D)	10 382	8 683	10 794	3 123	2 154	3 343
..... tons, dry...	178	20 718	15 249	17 312	5 919	3 836	6 763

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Item	Greene	Grenada	Hancock	Harrison	Hinds	Holmes	Humphreys
Farms..... number.....	309	233	208	238	799	420	325
Land in farms..... acres.....	55 285	85 444	34 416	18 149	265 611	236 326	210 198
Average size of farm..... acres.....	179	367	165	76	332	563	647
Value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm..... dollars.....	93 773	185 893	201 764	113 378	260 727	436 217	537 012
Average per acre..... dollars.....	603	535	1 050	1 438	749	839	897
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm..... dollars.....	14 021	31 913	15 553	14 143	26 339	57 648	94 200
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres.....	7	17	8	39	53	25	12
10 to 49 acres.....	76	23	71	109	155	35	39
50 to 179 acres.....	126	80	71	69	321	127	66
180 to 499 acres.....	78	62	44	17	155	112	84
500 to 999 acres.....	16	27	10	4	65	53	58
1,000 acres or more.....	6	24	4	-	50	68	66
Total cropland..... farms.....	279	190	180	202	629	370	258
Harvested cropland..... acres.....	17 796	43 516	13 382	8 219	126 637	162 048	161 642
Irrigated land..... farms.....	219	170	117	163	470	314	236
..... acres.....	6 273	25 868	4 400	2 805	58 504	103 300	109 722
..... farms.....	5	9	7	17	12	45	85
..... acres.....	(D)	545	143	43	101	25 881	28 820
Market value of agricultural products sold..... \$1,000.....	7 707	12 060	1 776	1 593	32 795	39 785	86 405
Average per farm..... dollars.....	24 943	51 759	8 539	6 694	41 045	94 725	265 860
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse..... \$1,000.....	492	5 117	268	796	9 121	36 803	33 673
Livestock, poultry, and their products..... \$1,000.....	7 216	6 943	1 508	797	23 675	2 981	52 732
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500.....	130	64	110	125	284	140	25
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	83	46	31	57	165	41	29
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	43	39	32	22	127	41	21
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	22	32	14	24	115	50	18
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	9	15	16	4	45	25	22
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	3	13	3	2	35	36	34
\$100,000 or more.....	19	24	2	4	28	87	176
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming.....	101	99	56	87	275	236	258
Other.....	208	134	152	151	524	184	67
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any.....	198	139	147	149	490	189	105
200 days or more.....	139	98	90	96	350	121	64
Average age of operator..... years.....	54.0	53.2	52.0	56.0	56.7	54.8	49.0
Total farm production expenses ¹ \$1,000.....	5 948	9 792	2 248	1 565	27 222	27 953	70 040
Average per farm..... dollars.....	19 250	42 028	10 807	6 574	34 070	66 554	215 509
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory..... farms.....	235	148	153	142	584	260	19
..... number.....	7 598	10 503	5 756	3 202	45 661	15 446	(D)
Beef cows..... farms.....	205	138	122	119	499	218	16
..... number.....	4 744	6 030	2 806	1 618	23 661	9 317	357
Milk cows..... farms.....	9	3	19	8	22	23	2
..... number.....	13	7	631	134	629	125	(D)
Cattle and calves sold..... farms.....	223	153	138	129	581	227	16
..... number.....	3 306	6 768	2 637	1 448	24 783	6 957	(D)
Hogs and pigs inventory..... farms.....	28	18	19	8	59	54	18
..... number.....	408	556	760	175	3 424	829	521
Hogs and pigs sold..... farms.....	21	13	14	6	43	24	15
..... number.....	437	668	1 443	529	4 760	717	914
Sheep and lambs inventory..... farms.....	6	-	11	5	8	3	-
..... number.....	259	-	209	472	110	(D)	-
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory..... farms.....	44	17	21	27	62	42	11
..... number.....	95 868	(D)	564	551	(D)	694	312
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold..... farms.....	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
..... number.....	3 943 452	-	-	-	-	-	-
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed..... farms.....	72	28	1	7	66	71	10
..... acres.....	1 193	765	(D)	38	2 309	1 454	514
..... bushels.....	72 024	68 321	(D)	1 093	177 625	110 027	54 306
Sorghum for grain or seed..... farms.....	-	21	2	-	13	32	23
..... acres.....	-	1 090	(D)	-	1 318	2 639	1 140
..... bushels.....	-	70 802	(D)	-	71 329	180 886	84 932
Wheat for grain..... farms.....	-	10	7	-	25	19	61
..... acres.....	-	1 109	837	-	3 849	2 554	8 404
..... bushels.....	-	35 949	15 350	-	112 131	71 669	269 876
Rice..... farms.....	-	1	1	-	-	6	36
..... acres.....	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	1 389	6 667
..... cwt.....	-	(D)	(D)	-	-	73 762	313 077
Cotton..... farms.....	-	55	-	-	44	169	173
..... acres.....	-	7 306	-	-	11 498	57 221	49 445
..... bales.....	-	10 031	-	-	16 824	103 757	86 794
Soybeans for beans..... farms.....	11	47	5	3	58	114	167
..... acres.....	1 127	10 649	1 031	436	19 747	30 169	45 969
..... bushels.....	23 598	275 557	17 870	7 610	454 542	592 587	725 566
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text)..... farms.....	155	97	80	97	351	127	8
..... acres.....	3 645	5 305	2 457	1 456	17 304	8 581	(D)
..... tons, dry.....	6 739	(D)	(D)	2 820	36 625	14 011	(D)

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Item	Issaquena	Itawamba	Jackson	Jasper	Jefferson	Jefferson Davis	Jones
Farms ----- number..	107	452	208	423	234	408	800
Land in farms ----- acres..	121 019	78 932	20 692	97 908	81 073	76 851	104 172
Average size of farm ----- acres..	1 131	175	101	231	346	188	130
Value of land and buildings ¹ :							
Average per farm ----- dollars..	780 804	92 746	111 350	136 953	231 697	94 922	135 893
Average per acre ----- dollars..	696	560	956	545	744	603	1 115
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :							
Average per farm ----- dollars..	120 148	26 622	15 131	21 433	16 481	16 216	20 831
Farms by size:							
1 to 9 acres -----	4	17	30	24	7	13	51
10 to 49 acres -----	14	89	87	66	28	59	240
50 to 179 acres -----	18	213	63	178	80	201	360
180 to 499 acres -----	19	100	17	104	70	104	127
500 to 999 acres -----	16	27	8	41	30	22	13
1,000 acres or more -----	36	6	1	10	19	9	9
Total cropland ----- farms..	105	414	166	344	192	373	676
Harvested cropland ----- acres..	104 268	37 768	9 930	37 602	33 237	40 444	47 911
Irrigated land ----- farms..	103	355	124	262	115	299	463
----- acres..	84 927	21 774	3 644	12 728	13 691	18 104	19 060
----- farms..	15	9	8	4	4	6	17
----- acres..	8 149	94	25	(D)	73	132	205
Market value of agricultural products sold ----- \$1,000..	21 421	12 991	2 565	9 327	4 111	7 321	58 614
Average per farm ----- dollars..	200 196	28 741	12 451	22 051	17 570	17 944	73 267
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops ----- \$1,000..	19 732	2 753	481	552	2 573	1 308	1 065
Livestock, poultry, and their products ----- \$1,000..	1 688	10 238	2 084	8 776	1 538	6 013	57 549
Farms by value of sales:							
Less than \$2,500 -----	8	166	100	150	95	134	271
\$2,500 to \$4,999 -----	10	79	36	95	47	90	119
\$5,000 to \$9,999 -----	13	64	36	67	45	77	98
\$10,000 to \$24,999 -----	11	73	15	57	28	57	68
\$25,000 to \$49,999 -----	3	24	10	11	6	21	35
\$50,000 to \$99,999 -----	11	8	6	23	4	13	30
\$100,000 or more -----	51	38	3	20	9	16	179
Operators by principal occupation:							
Farming -----	84	184	56	160	93	154	351
Other -----	23	268	150	263	141	254	449
Operators by days worked off farm:							
Any -----	36	263	149	233	120	236	483
200 days or more -----	17	196	122	172	85	160	344
Average age of operator ----- years..	52.4	53.7	53.8	56.3	59.0	54.6	54.4
Total farm production expenses ¹ ----- \$1,000..	17 104	8 639	1 542	6 661	3 173	5 733	43 008
Average per farm ----- dollars..	159 850	19 071	7 484	15 746	13 558	14 051	53 760
Livestock and poultry:							
Cattle and calves inventory ----- farms..	16	272	124	333	190	326	563
----- number..	1 534	9 386	4 945	14 309	7 531	16 110	27 342
Beef cows ----- farms..	14	226	112	273	153	277	478
----- number..	1 035	5 419	(D)	8 105	4 694	8 950	11 674
Milk cows ----- farms..	-	19	9	31	8	9	33
----- number..	-	238	(D)	893	16	170	1 166
Cattle and calves sold ----- farms..	17	260	119	339	188	324	559
----- number..	749	5 347	2 316	7 824	3 805	8 350	18 138
Hogs and pigs inventory ----- farms..	-	34	16	26	17	29	40
----- number..	-	2 579	(D)	1 941	(D)	2 407	995
Hogs and pigs sold ----- farms..	-	27	14	18	10	19	20
----- number..	-	4 062	(D)	3 993	(D)	6 355	1 188
Sheep and lambs inventory ----- farms..	-	4	5	-	-	-	8
----- number..	-	(D)	122	-	-	-	285
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory ----- farms..	4	21	27	37	41	34	66
----- number..	30	40 331	631	28 665	584	(D)	534 925
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold ----- farms..	-	29	-	17	-	9	155
----- number..	-	6 107 203	-	3 420 200	-	1 979 768	30 061 416
Selected crops harvested:							
Corn for grain or seed ----- farms..	-	85	19	46	20	71	44
----- acres..	-	1 914	481	701	1 159	1 889	585
----- bushels..	-	140 614	35 334	43 190	123 131	128 630	36 167
Sorghum for grain or seed ----- farms..	8	6	-	1	-	1	2
----- acres..	1 248	180	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
----- bushels..	75 916	5 557	-	(D)	-	(D)	(D)
Wheat for grain ----- farms..	35	7	2	3	5	24	19
----- acres..	9 105	274	(D)	(D)	1 275	2 926	2 154
----- bushels..	331 341	9 110	(D)	3 360	37 625	74 877	55 774
Rice ----- farms..	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
----- acres..	2 736	-	-	-	-	-	-
----- cwt..	133 663	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton ----- farms..	56	59	-	-	5	1	-
----- acres..	16 042	4 820	-	-	(D)	(D)	-
----- baies..	28 072	4 696	-	-	2 719	(D)	-
Soybeans for beans ----- farms..	87	105	7	7	11	29	17
----- acres..	60 694	9 481	910	2 926	7 693	5 185	3 963
----- bushels..	1 528 741	161 587	25 401	64 628	223 546	88 463	56 786
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text) ----- farms..	6	231	75	224	84	231	382
----- acres..	787	5 395	1 913	8 -39	3 035	8 449	12 611
----- tons, dry..	(D)	9 358	2 554	16 895	6 717	16 835	26 350

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Item	Kemper	Lafayette	Lamar	Lauderdale	Lawrence	Leake	Lee	Leflore
Farms.....number.....	430	447	336	449	303	659	567	281
Land in farms.....acres.....	107 807	113 563	57 612	86 233	61 206	96 008	131 306	277 137
Average size of farm.....acres.....	251	254	171	192	202	146	232	986
Value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	122 972	132 083	142 953	129 325	136 528	103 009	163 845	774 808
Average per acre.....dollars.....	517	491	888	738	660	757	622	825
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	20 688	21 294	26 591	19 378	24 735	26 961	30 532	118 088
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	14	9	13	18	7	43	33	3
10 to 49 acres.....	48	56	99	102	45	131	133	19
50 to 179 acres.....	183	188	139	188	144	317	226	55
180 to 499 acres.....	136	142	62	107	84	137	112	45
500 to 999 acres.....	36	36	17	25	18	27	36	68
1,000 acres or more.....	13	16	6	9	5	4	27	91
Total cropland.....farms.....	361	395	304	376	272	535	492	270
.....acres.....	43 039	46 558	26 969	34 615	30 616	46 148	94 281	239 635
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	294	330	218	285	213	427	433	263
.....acres.....	16 194	23 693	13 720	12 507	13 283	19 880	67 661	173 487
Irrigated land.....farms.....	9	8	6	11	6	4	11	112
.....acres.....	99	99	(D)	82	32	73	59	50 540
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	4 292	6 961	13 042	4 647	4 985	50 236	16 010	70 861
Average per farm.....dollars.....	9 982	15 573	38 814	10 350	16 451	76 230	28 235	252 173
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000.....	1 021	4 019	2 168	1 757	1 132	2 049	6 894	57 084
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000.....	3 271	2 942	10 874	2 890	3 852	48 187	9 115	13 776
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	167	160	152	191	101	197	175	19
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	99	102	46	110	68	112	104	13
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	66	66	36	68	53	112	107	20
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	59	73	41	54	49	60	88	33
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	20	19	9	15	17	17	33	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	10	11	18	4	8	20	25	26
\$100,000 or more.....	9	16	34	7	7	141	35	159
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	181	151	116	104	113	298	188	215
Other.....	249	296	220	345	190	361	379	66
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	240	300	219	330	179	364	359	106
200 days or more.....	161	202	162	251	111	246	261	70
Average age of operator.....years.....	56.2	55.5	51.4	55.0	54.8	54.3	53.2	49.5
Total farm production expenses ¹\$1,000.....	3 489	5 630	10 510	3 849	4 278	36 705	13 967	53 478
Average per farm.....dollars.....	8 096	12 595	31 188	8 571	14 117	55 699	24 589	190 312
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms.....	368	308	236	346	259	479	361	23
.....number.....	16 586	11 171	10 538	13 337	10 385	18 567	17 870	1 896
Beef cows.....farms.....	317	275	188	305	228	402	334	21
.....number.....	9 983	7 015	4 653	8 333	6 121	9 964	7 627	1 076
Milk cows.....farms.....	20	9	25	15	14	24	34	3
.....number.....	275	106	592	188	320	1 344	1 566	5
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	371	307	240	349	250	474	366	20
.....number.....	9 109	8 586	9 117	7 216	5 210	10 147	9 200	526
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	29	27	26	16	11	33	24	11
.....number.....	578	267	676	124	667	877	1 058	466
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	19	18	19	10	9	16	16	9
.....number.....	668	309	813	412	754	2 857	2 811	(D)
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms.....	2	1	1	3	2	-	1	-
.....number.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	-
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	44	21	41	27	28	48	45	3
.....number.....	(D)	304	(D)	502	(D)	403 734	42 854	61
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	-	-	18	2	3	130	3	-
.....number.....	-	-	5 443 000	(D)	989 600	30 681 585	895 000	-
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms.....	47	82	41	25	36	56	91	9
.....acres.....	685	2 055	490	140	2 672	789	4 096	560
.....bushels.....	42 529	150 671	31 582	7 448	124 788	47 486	365 188	42 468
Sorghum for grain or seed.....farms.....	1	11	3	-	-	3	14	52
.....acres.....	(D)	913	(D)	-	-	(D)	561	4 748
.....bushels.....	(D)	45 523	(D)	-	-	4 200	26 330	286 890
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	6	6	19	2	8	6	39	30
.....acres.....	743	389	3 037	(D)	1 310	514	2 956	2 469
.....bushels.....	27 700	8 504	93 506	(D)	48 470	9 605	84 910	84 381
Rice.....farms.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47
.....acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13 508
.....cwt.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	786 832
Cotton.....farms.....	2	64	-	1	-	38	27	182
.....acres.....	(D)	7 513	-	(D)	-	3 586	3 454	75 892
.....bales.....	(D)	9 316	-	(D)	-	4 298	2 631	132 155
Soybeans for beans.....farms.....	13	56	16	3	14	30	206	218
.....acres.....	5 209	5 414	2 361	(D)	4 852	3 942	47 588	76 014
.....bushels.....	102 285	85 982	60 284	(D)	89 905	55 424	901 379	1 593 329
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms.....	271	219	150	245	183	357	283	17
.....acres.....	9 380	7 581	5 455	11 191	4 714	9 932	9 347	990
.....tons, dry.....	17 729	10 447	12 585	19 584	11 853	20 871	19 470	(D)

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Item	Lincoln	Lowndes	Madison	Marion	Marshall	Monroe	Montgomery	Neshoba
Farms.....number.....	548	371	502	574	554	542	307	721
Land in farms.....acres.....	103 596	131 086	216 946	96 396	197 599	185 982	97 454	132 386
Average size of farm.....acres.....	189	353	432	168	357	343	317	184
Value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	133 949	204 809	374 153	140 307	216 715	214 611	173 743	107 871
Average per acre.....dollars.....	715	610	907	882	662	606	512	556
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars.....	23 882	25 238	44 774	21 555	29 597	32 834	43 865	24 708
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	12	28	28	20	26	13	10	20
10 to 49 acres.....	78	69	91	139	99	100	52	115
50 to 179 acres.....	257	124	170	251	241	216	102	379
180 to 499 acres.....	171	67	111	129	97	111	88	172
500 to 999 acres.....	23	49	56	28	47	60	37	26
1,000 acres or more.....	7	34	46	7	44	42	18	9
Total cropland.....farms.....	484	325	413	517	455	498	271	646
.....acres.....	51 734	82 739	118 506	48 444	104 439	123 358	46 122	52 146
Harvested cropland.....farms.....	364	263	345	412	380	440	229	546
.....acres.....	16 832	55 758	61 209	15 884	60 961	90 025	24 601	19 515
Irrigated land.....farms.....	10	12	17	18	9	19	5	13
.....acres.....	101	320	1 167	87	50	864	422	462
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000.....	13 304	9 790	23 300	9 911	18 321	16 094	8 201	26 408
Average per farm.....dollars.....	24 278	26 388	46 414	17 266	33 070	29 694	26 713	36 627
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000.....	1 115	6 836	17 429	731	12 154	10 295	5 270	488
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000.....	12 189	2 954	5 871	9 180	6 166	5 800	2 931	25 940
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	190	133	167	244	185	158	92	266
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	114	49	74	114	93	100	53	138
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	97	60	60	86	89	84	54	123
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	61	45	71	67	85	68	40	91
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	27	26	32	24	29	45	20	22
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	23	32	35	9	27	41	24	17
\$100,000 or more.....	36	26	63	30	46	46	24	64
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	236	158	206	240	234	236	137	275
Other.....	312	213	296	334	320	306	170	446
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	293	211	305	333	324	339	179	444
200 days or more.....	202	153	224	206	220	235	130	322
Average age of operator.....years.....	55.6	52.8	53.9	54.4	54.4	52.8	53.7	55.6
Total farm production expenses ¹\$1,000.....	10 630	8 073	19 332	7 801	14 289	14 343	6 539	20 326
Average per farm.....dollars.....	19 434	21 701	38 510	13 591	25 793	26 561	21 299	28 191
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms.....	462	199	330	475	389	332	227	587
.....number.....	25 084	11 676	22 859	20 393	22 570	20 196	11 944	26 626
Beef cows.....farms.....	390	174	276	376	327	285	202	531
.....number.....	10 752	6 128	12 441	8 978	12 801	10 625	6 885	13 748
Milk cows.....farms.....	60	9	24	49	27	21	13	36
.....number.....	4 270	149	267	2 890	1 450	831	187	2 079
Cattle and calves sold.....farms.....	467	193	318	458	392	324	213	584
.....number.....	13 972	5 909	13 862	11 656	10 962	9 998	5 757	13 161
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms.....	13	38	50	39	57	34	32	18
.....number.....	556	1 817	1 017	881	3 298	6 465	1 405	298
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms.....	10	39	36	20	37	25	19	10
.....number.....	(D)	2 680	1 619	2 860	3 257	10 704	2 641	535
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms.....	2	2	2	4	3	1	1	-
.....number.....	(D)	(D)	(D)	133	21	(D)	(D)	-
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms.....	29	28	33	57	54	23	21	43
.....number.....	913	486	(D)	70 958	1 208	2 057	(D)	80 961
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms.....	2	-	-	2	-	3	-	53
.....number.....	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)	-	13 088 255
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms.....	32	58	46	77	106	91	79	40
.....acres.....	2 076	915	2 978	1 168	2 795	4 509	1 202	599
.....bushels.....	165 583	59 367	238 080	58 538	244 621	310 849	102 902	22 747
Sorghum for grain or seed.....farms.....	-	36	10	-	24	53	12	1
.....acres.....	-	2 003	835	-	2 117	2 803	739	(D)
.....bushels.....	-	111 861	69 355	-	143 160	122 685	38 630	(D)
Wheat for grain.....farms.....	4	53	25	17	25	84	5	4
.....acres.....	331	6 512	3 699	792	1 998	7 366	97	36
.....bushels.....	11 415	237 087	127 385	23 192	66 335	227 292	2 640	1 600
Rice.....farms.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....acres.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
.....cwt.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cotton.....farms.....	-	31	102	-	136	57	78	-
.....acres.....	-	4 848	33 630	-	21 098	9 917	10 130	-
.....bales.....	-	3 726	43 080	-	27 251	10 212	13 881	-
Soybeans for beans.....farms.....	8	119	52	3	113	205	53	10
.....acres.....	1 206	39 102	11 734	950	23 471	57 864	6 017	757
.....bushels.....	24 492	739 730	204 127	18 550	419 081	1 055 129	82 057	12 863
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms.....	328	126	230	331	215	242	144	526
.....acres.....	12 069	5 821	9 200	11 888	9 754	9 954	5 835	17 827
.....tons, dry.....	25 052	(D)	16 502	22 738	17 133	19 632	11 859	32 343

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Item	Newton	Noxubee	Oktibbeha	Panola	Pearl River	Perry	Pike	Pontotoc
Farms.....number..	599	449	355	643	584	218	483	604
Land in farms.....acres..	105 232	219 079	91 819	237 903	123 870	35 878	87 139	122 181
Average size of farm.....acres..	176	488	259	370	212	165	180	202
Value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars..	126 132	248 163	149 101	190 886	246 161	117 624	162 414	104 033
Average per acre.....dollars..	693	482	496	510	1 140	698	894	528
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars..	25 712	41 929	26 025	35 109	21 651	19 191	20 314	26 368
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	16	14	24	23	32	5	14	22
10 to 49 acres.....	104	46	55	100	183	54	74	122
50 to 179 acres.....	316	136	150	217	231	108	235	282
180 to 499 acres.....	124	135	79	162	86	34	126	123
500 to 999 acres.....	32	67	32	91	34	13	31	40
1,000 acres or more.....	7	51	15	50	18	4	3	15
Total cropland.....farms..	526	405	310	560	520	186	436	545
.....acres..	49 645	144 964	50 762	151 139	60 900	16 419	50 819	82 969
Harvested cropland.....farms..	416	327	263	475	349	134	361	475
.....acres..	22 289	104 566	27 235	95 412	31 911	7 880	23 318	57 470
Irrigated land.....farms..	6	22	9	17	33	4	17	5
.....acres..	(D)	1 701	112	4 198	340	(D)	226	121
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	34 770	22 034	8 486	24 194	13 800	8 558	15 246	12 289
Average per farm.....dollars..	58 040	49 073	23 905	37 626	23 630	39 257	31 565	20 337
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000..	1 632	11 745	1 778	19 998	2 897	1 007	1 056	7 619
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000..	33 139	10 289	6 708	4 196	10 903	7 551	14 190	4 665
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	196	98	128	180	269	74	180	215
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	112	63	68	124	95	59	80	106
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	81	51	65	107	92	30	70	97
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	70	74	46	78	60	14	50	82
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	14	53	11	50	23	9	15	39
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	26	47	15	34	17	8	33	34
\$100,000 or more.....	100	63	22	70	28	24	55	31
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	275	240	130	303	233	85	211	242
Other.....	324	209	225	340	351	133	272	362
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	338	250	227	339	385	133	267	376
200 days or more.....	247	167	186	233	256	88	168	262
Average age of operator.....years..	53.9	52.3	54.5	54.5	52.7	55.1	53.5	51.7
Total farm production expenses ¹\$1,000..	25 525	16 981	6 670	18 789	12 863	7 302	10 379	8 792
Average per farm.....dollars..	42 613	37 819	18 788	29 220	22 026	33 495	21 489	14 556
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms..	461	270	241	419	415	172	409	334
.....number..	22 649	21 650	13 834	20 295	35 158	7 402	26 123	12 807
Beef cows.....farms..	394	180	191	367	357	156	310	278
.....number..	10 542	9 755	5 838	11 742	12 478	(D)	7 744	6 032
Milk cows.....farms..	59	47	34	16	23	2	92	28
.....number..	3 733	2 151	2 209	204	1 204	(D)	7 479	1 100
Cattle and calves sold.....farms..	460	265	244	425	400	175	411	321
.....number..	11 999	11 114	7 203	12 148	24 494	3 481	10 874	6 263
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms..	16	55	26	33	32	22	30	39
.....number..	2 883	15 827	4 663	706	493	801	1 014	1 808
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms..	15	46	21	18	20	15	26	27
.....number..	7 612	21 758	6 069	1 028	545	1 868	1 598	2 360
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms..	-	4	5	2	20	1	4	1
.....number..	-	(D)	417	(D)	360	(D)	43	(D)
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms..	36	32	19	29	87	22	43	29
.....number..	301 634	640	(D)	447	1 961	(D)	1 001	524
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms..	58	1	1	1	1	20	-	3
.....number..	16 216 003	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	4 898 892	-	749 139
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms..	32	56	22	59	28	30	48	118
.....acres..	207	4 271	635	1 926	397	465	1 788	2 866
.....bushels..	15 192	341 195	45 667	191 852	24 225	30 150	116 040	219 102
Sorghum for grain or seed.....farms..	2	67	7	51	6	3	-	36
.....acres..	(D)	5 092	380	3 309	50	(D)	-	1 816
.....bushels..	(D)	266 816	15 049	176 916	1 917	(D)	-	104 668
Wheat for grain.....farms..	5	54	1	43	24	8	18	29
.....acres..	275	5 128	(D)	8 373	6 439	1 278	1 811	2 026
.....bushels..	9 210	173 594	(D)	247 469	135 183	70 420	64 325	54 984
Rice.....farms..	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-
.....acres..	-	-	-	1 681	-	-	-	-
.....cwt..	-	-	-	56 414	-	-	-	-
Cotton.....farms..	-	7	4	158	-	-	-	126
.....acres..	-	(D)	277	29 900	-	-	-	10 302
.....bales..	-	1 167	(D)	44 572	-	-	-	11 582
Soybeans for beans.....farms..	12	190	39	163	21	10	15	235
.....acres..	7 038	80 695	11 998	44 131	14 944	3 254	3 239	34 831
.....bushels..	181 510	1 840 206	244 889	709 519	280 570	75 356	73 342	595 511
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms..	385	162	217	298	242	103	309	240
.....acres..	13 247	9 341	12 527	11 497	10 284	3 262	16 364	5 982
.....tons, dry..	26 889	17 564	20 275	18 725	16 847	5 510	30 428	9 613

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Item	Prentiss	Quitman	Rankin	Scott	Sharkey	Simpson	Smith	Stone
Farms.....number...	405	256	551	688	127	576	662	221
Land in farms.....acres...	87 159	199 767	130 631	113 926	177 963	95 132	87 046	35 670
Average size of farm.....acres...	215	780	237	166	1 401	165	131	161
Value of land and buildings: Average per farm.....dollars...	131 012	466 938	175 913	147 892	1 019 315	126 995	109 733	148 299
Average per acre.....dollars...	627	636	825	763	739	748	761	911
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ : Average per farm.....dollars...	26 365	79 625	27 919	33 669	180 421	29 040	26 988	8 783
Farms by size: 1 to 9 acres.....	19	7	27	31	5	20	26	3
10 to 49 acres.....	76	20	104	168	10	131	147	74
50 to 179 acres.....	182	51	241	310	13	263	353	88
180 to 499 acres.....	87	58	116	129	20	133	116	40
500 to 999 acres.....	24	54	40	40	23	22	17	12
1,000 acres or more.....	17	68	23	10	56	7	3	4
Total cropland.....farms...	365	249	450	589	119	486	557	202
Harvested cropland.....acres...	54 963	183 188	64 892	55 517	165 808	42 240	40 189	14 425
Irrigated land.....farms...	323	241	350	117	354	13 841	12 567	5 602
.....acres...	40 558	145 048	29 060	21 627	133 558	13 841	12 567	5 602
.....farms...	1	85	9	11	32	12	5	9
.....acres...	(D)	33 786	(D)	210	10 857	114	74	(D)
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000...	8 790	33 285	32 948	103 861	41 934	54 890	54 271	4 120
Average per farm.....dollars...	21 704	130 018	59 797	150 961	330 187	95 295	81 980	18 644
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000...	4 587	32 669	4 850	1 839	37 577	978	891	757
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000...	4 203	616	28 098	102 023	4 357	53 911	53 380	3 364
Farms by value of sales: Less than \$2,500.....	139	36	171	188	10	164	186	83
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	95	19	82	107	3	111	119	50
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	58	13	81	96	5	107	66	47
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	48	36	72	61	14	67	74	17
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	16	28	34	20	6	16	41	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	25	43	31	28	13	20	20	8
\$100,000 or more.....	24	81	80	188	76	89	156	12
Operators by principal occupation: Farming.....	177	200	227	335	102	249	314	86
Other.....	228	56	324	353	25	327	348	135
Operators by days worked off farm: Any.....	237	93	336	365	43	324	370	142
200 days or more.....	158	54	241	253	26	221	260	106
Average age of operator.....years...	52.5	49.4	54.3	52.9	50.5	54.5	52.1	54.1
Total farm production expenses ¹\$1,000...	6 959	26 381	25 430	79 271	33 250	44 628	42 293	2 673
Average per farm.....dollars...	17 226	102 649	46 152	115 220	261 815	77 480	63 886	12 095
Livestock and poultry: Cattle and calves inventory.....farms...	241	17	407	511	4	421	501	171
.....number...	7 570	946	24 355	24 189	(D)	19 295	19 079	7 035
Beef cows.....farms...	205	13	343	434	3	358	445	153
.....number...	3 817	(D)	12 915	14 505	(D)	11 246	11 299	3 962
Milk cows.....farms...	29	1	13	19	1	19	24	5
.....number...	1 067	(D)	824	568	(D)	423	188	8
Cattle and calves sold.....farms...	226	15	398	505	3	424	495	170
.....number...	5 020	(D)	13 145	12 645	96	12 134	12 117	4 622
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms...	31	7	32	33	5	39	32	16
.....number...	3 880	111	11 824	1 462	511	7 093	1 002	2 807
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms...	26	7	24	20	3	32	24	12
.....number...	5 312	160	18 405	2 203	(D)	10 551	2 234	3 245
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms...	1	1	7	3	-	3	3	9
.....number...	(D)	(D)	133	8	(D)	8	8	260
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms...	26	7	34	44	3	50	43	26
.....number...	(D)	74	341 645	644 201	(D)	1 863 197	316 662	504
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms...	-	-	45	170	-	69	163	5
.....number...	-	-	11 326 328	54 298 043	-	18 324 010	37 671 966	1 179 638
Selected crops harvested: Corn for grain or seed.....farms...	74	8	31	40	3	61	38	26
.....acres...	3 682	749	724	352	(D)	1 694	328	668
.....bushels...	296 939	69 754	59 627	25 641	(D)	116 379	14 031	55 813
Sorghum for grain or seed.....farms...	26	88	-	3	26	2	-	-
.....acres...	1 593	9 683	-	70	4 073	(D)	-	-
.....bushels...	94 808	680 230	-	2 800	260 548	(D)	-	-
Wheat for grain.....farms...	19	106	13	1	47	2	10	4
.....acres...	1 643	12 844	1 393	(D)	7 465	(D)	757	662
.....bushels...	52 786	372 568	35 492	(D)	244 027	(D)	18 806	12 104
Rice.....farms...	-	50	-	-	25	-	-	-
.....acres...	-	12 728	-	-	6 487	-	-	-
.....cwt...	-	627 071	-	-	348 753	-	-	-
Cotton.....farms...	47	152	34	15	74	-	-	-
.....acres...	5 891	36 154	6 992	1 617	(D)	-	-	-
.....bales...	5 603	60 258	9 529	2 144	71 582	-	-	-
Soybeans for beans.....farms...	162	216	47	25	108	12	10	7
.....acres...	24 607	78 932	7 541	6 278	83 095	2 138	963	690
.....bushels...	350 808	1 185 279	172 465	166 650	1 919 151	49 374	17 075	18 684
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms...	171	5	287	403	-	285	381	116
.....acres...	3 595	(D)	12 434	13 165	-	8 706	9 520	2 991
.....tons, dry...	6 146	(D)	26 529	29 031	-	16 763	19 239	(D)

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Item	Sunflower	Tallahatchie	Tate	Tippah	Tishomingo	Tunica	Union	Walthall
Farms.....number..	442	404	560	532	298	162	579	611
Land in farms.....acres..	347 487	296 270	162 925	99 940	43 216	245 244	100 383	110 548
Average size of farm.....acres..	786	733	291	188	145	1 514	173	181
Value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars..	542 961	479 953	169 907	103 573	91 463	1 049 451	97 539	146 928
Average per acre.....dollars..	746	690	624	553	593	703	688	855
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars..	112 480	83 249	34 133	19 897	20 067	142 268	20 374	23 593
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	10	10	22	22	8	1	24	18
10 to 49 acres.....	28	35	94	103	62	8	138	110
50 to 179 acres.....	83	81	249	249	151	30	274	301
180 to 499 acres.....	97	117	117	127	65	17	104	142
500 to 999 acres.....	118	79	41	14	10	24	25	28
1,000 acres or more.....	106	82	37	17	2	82	14	12
Total cropland.....farms..	404	385	485	485	273	156	525	562
.....acres..	306 832	251 441	98 910	49 640	22 961	220 745	63 804	66 481
Harvested cropland.....farms..	387	346	394	425	245	153	476	469
.....acres..	211 493	195 347	60 932	28 178	12 626	191 430	44 135	29 475
Irrigated land.....farms..	234	93	9	5	6	82	8	18
.....acres..	90 260	47 958	852	102	91	39 868	126	156
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	86 801	53 171	20 598	7 944	2 674	46 565	10 101	16 209
Average per farm.....dollars..	196 382	131 611	36 782	14 932	8 972	287 441	17 446	26 528
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000..	58 859	49 584	10 412	4 136	1 073	42 764	5 939	1 477
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000..	27 941	3 587	10 186	3 808	1 600	3 801	4 163	14 732
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	24	60	182	221	138	7	240	207
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	30	45	91	116	59	3	98	124
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	19	56	95	82	57	23	96	105
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	51	39	77	55	22	14	64	58
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	35	36	31	25	13	6	30	28
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	75	45	20	10	4	15	31	30
\$100,000 or more.....	208	123	64	23	5	94	20	59
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	321	250	235	198	110	140	214	265
Other.....	121	154	325	334	188	22	365	346
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	168	181	319	323	196	52	375	328
200 days or more.....	95	129	249	242	139	17	268	212
Average age of operator.....years..	48.6	50.8	52.8	54.7	54.3	51.8	52.4	54.5
Total farm production expenses ¹\$1,000..	68 558	44 386	15 284	5 730	2 182	36 912	8 385	11 972
Average per farm.....dollars..	155 460	109 866	27 293	10 771	7 321	227 853	14 481	19 563
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms..	32	144	430	372	176	14	361	511
.....number..	2 920	7 211	25 629	11 233	5 137	1 025	10 210	28 473
Beef cows.....farms..	28	135	364	299	159	11	313	374
.....number..	1 744	(D)	12 045	5 284	3 059	650	5 090	9 235
Milk cows.....farms..	-	2	49	52	14	4	35	98
.....number..	-	(D)	3 716	1 395	196	4	821	7 682
Cattle and calves sold.....farms..	32	154	420	361	175	10	349	512
.....number..	2 317	3 771	12 051	5 277	2 443	492	5 169	13 219
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms..	8	20	28	50	29	11	53	59
.....number..	(D)	3 586	1 386	1 562	2 612	146	2 070	3 230
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms..	7	10	24	36	24	9	40	34
.....number..	(D)	3 983	2 098	2 313	4 407	132	4 279	4 304
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms..	1	-	4	7	3	-	5	1
.....number..	(D)	-	23	106	(D)	-	73	(D)
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms..	3	12	28	52	30	14	35	47
.....number..	105	(D)	2 202	1 617	1 120	282	548	845
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms..	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
.....number..	-	-	-	-	-	-	(D)	-
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms..	4	16	74	209	109	2	176	50
.....acres..	237	(D)	1 592	3 121	2 505	(D)	4 973	1 011
.....bushels..	20 450	61 803	119 169	231 156	176 786	(D)	381 941	61 131
Sorghum for grain or seed.....farms..	38	45	28	14	7	45	42	2
.....acres..	2 650	4 659	979	417	270	5 553	1 524	(D)
.....bushels..	173 487	318 052	54 764	31 109	15 769	329 278	84 689	(D)
Wheat for grain.....farms..	65	43	38	6	9	95	23	22
.....acres..	9 465	4 779	5 875	139	745	20 880	773	4 204
.....bushels..	277 683	146 067	183 311	4 700	23 700	857 234	18 744	120 017
Rice.....farms..	144	39	5	-	-	59	-	-
.....acres..	28 604	8 292	(D)	-	-	14 866	-	-
.....cwt..	1 620 174	465 970	(D)	-	-	746 732	-	-
Cotton.....farms..	290	197	116	76	12	77	117	1
.....acres..	84 180	70 304	14 866	4 070	(D)	30 421	9 348	(D)
.....bales..	118 834	114 726	19 913	4 813	407	58 257	9 797	(D)
Soybeans for beans.....farms..	302	233	127	141	67	145	189	16
.....acres..	89 392	105 905	24 348	13 914	6 174	127 498	22 886	2 814
.....bushels..	1 514 561	1 731 454	484 404	314 689	108 518	2 954 698	443 215	64 890
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms..	20	98	266	296	156	4	283	415
.....acres..	1 919	3 917	10 600	5 972	3 252	2 030	5 140	19 794
.....tons, dry..	4 098	6 546	20 583	9 988	4 244	(D)	9 277	36 413

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Item	Warren	Washington	Wayne	Webster	Wilkinson	Winston	Yalobusha	Yazoo
Farms.....number..	222	394	470	300	216	548	299	569
Land in farms.....acres..	106 927	355 975	80 003	78 825	102 668	100 108	91 427	367 496
Average size of farm.....acres..	482	903	170	263	475	183	306	646
Value of land and buildings ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars..	462 387	777 561	110 504	126 180	298 505	91 492	141 946	390 613
Average per acre.....dollars..	986	911	674	504	640	560	463	604
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment ¹ :								
Average per farm.....dollars..	38 431	128 308	19 309	31 238	23 081	23 241	23 991	65 124
Farms by size:								
1 to 9 acres.....	10	10	15	6	12	11	12	12
10 to 49 acres.....	33	44	119	43	30	108	35	57
50 to 179 acres.....	71	54	201	134	58	259	104	139
180 to 499 acres.....	55	67	107	79	65	131	100	147
500 to 999 acres.....	19	90	24	25	28	31	34	97
1,000 acres or more.....	34	129	4	13	25	8	14	117
Total cropland.....farms..	172	371	404	272	167	498	268	489
.....acres..	60 602	319 061	29 940	42 928	34 699	49 577	44 897	243 770
Harvested cropland.....farms..	112	358	310	238	124	412	239	409
.....acres..	39 731	238 051	10 581	28 817	13 576	19 178	26 940	165 709
Irrigated land.....farms..	2	157	4	4	4	3	7	43
.....acres..	(D)	66 616	(D)	88	(D)	(D)	(D)	9 572
Market value of agricultural products sold.....\$1,000..	12 674	92 813	20 781	8 543	4 238	7 163	7 927	61 073
Average per farm.....dollars..	57 089	235 566	44 172	28 477	19 618	13 071	26 513	107 333
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops.....\$1,000..	11 116	69 307	631	6 646	647	1 294	6 053	49 313
Livestock, poultry, and their products.....\$1,000..	1 558	23 506	20 130	1 897	3 591	5 869	1 874	11 760
Farms by value of sales:								
Less than \$2,500.....	68	45	159	107	90	216	126	113
\$2,500 to \$4,999.....	42	14	80	41	32	143	47	70
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	16	28	83	55	41	83	51	69
\$10,000 to \$24,999.....	36	36	52	41	27	52	22	58
\$25,000 to \$49,999.....	14	30	18	21	9	22	19	40
\$50,000 to \$99,999.....	12	30	9	11	9	16	12	62
\$100,000 or more.....	34	211	69	24	8	16	22	157
Operators by principal occupation:								
Farming.....	113	297	185	130	79	184	117	341
Other.....	109	97	285	170	137	364	182	228
Operators by days worked off farm:								
Any.....	114	126	283	170	122	333	182	255
200 days or more.....	76	78	183	122	72	258	132	173
Average age of operator.....years..	55.5	49.8	53.0	54.8	56.4	55.2	54.3	52.4
Total farm production expenses ¹\$1,000..	9 626	70 422	14 570	6 487	3 903	5 467	5 619	50 017
Average per farm.....dollars..	43 358	178 736	30 999	21 625	18 068	9 995	18 792	88 059
Livestock and poultry:								
Cattle and calves inventory.....farms..	129	44	355	190	176	456	208	309
.....number..	7 082	1 645	14 340	7 873	15 551	18 342	9 005	20 158
Beef cows.....farms..	111	28	308	162	138	390	186	282
.....number..	(D)	(D)	7 899	4 462	(D)	10 179	5 029	11 685
Milk cows.....farms..	1	1	20	12	7	29	9	16
.....number..	(D)	(D)	41	501	(D)	1 198	270	224
Cattle and calves sold.....farms..	133	38	350	186	170	444	201	298
.....number..	3 966	1 520	8 276	3 748	7 861	8 736	4 244	11 186
Hogs and pigs inventory.....farms..	13	12	34	20	17	34	17	50
.....number..	2 117	251	1 992	710	207	713	2 649	12 446
Hogs and pigs sold.....farms..	14	9	37	19	7	23	12	44
.....number..	3 131	169	2 933	1 233	250	1 157	3 361	20 630
Sheep and lambs inventory.....farms..	5	1	12	-	-	-	-	3
.....number..	46	(D)	178	-	-	-	-	72
Chickens 3 months old or older inventory.....farms..	17	9	47	18	36	48	30	28
.....number..	407	(D)	67 932	425	716	(D)	553	654
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold.....farms..	1	-	69	1	-	4	-	-
.....number..	(D)	-	12 797 485	(D)	-	988 353	-	-
Selected crops harvested:								
Corn for grain or seed.....farms..	14	8	68	43	21	61	65	60
.....acres..	710	756	975	766	226	428	922	2 379
.....bushels..	56 804	69 925	51 788	53 165	11 088	18 018	69 898	226 048
Sorghum for grain or seed.....farms..	2	104	-	19	3	5	11	74
.....acres..	(D)	9 824	-	1 160	180	266	749	8 654
.....bushels..	(D)	688 641	-	60 345	(D)	11 468	45 336	485 859
Wheat for grain.....farms..	12	161	3	5	-	6	2	39
.....acres..	1 427	29 409	80	374	-	546	(D)	4 903
.....bushels..	56 998	1 086 373	1 000	10 200	-	15 670	(D)	184 648
Rice.....farms..	-	97	-	-	-	-	-	4
.....acres..	-	26 251	-	-	-	-	-	722
.....cwt..	-	1 472 842	-	-	-	-	-	40 380
Cotton.....farms..	35	201	-	77	-	21	66	247
.....(D).....	(D)	66 030	-	12 899	-	1 845	10 536	76 262
.....bales..	25 134	121 485	-	16 951	-	2 330	14 975	131 816
Soybeans for beans.....farms..	59	275	9	65	5	15	52	210
.....acres..	22 684	108 264	1 138	8 429	2 240	2 319	8 482	66 157
.....bushels..	620 950	2 702 862	27 530	156 061	66 450	24 574	128 271	1 158 565
Hay—alfalfa, other tame, small grain, wild, grass silage, green chop, etc. (see text).....farms..	41	19	255	150	99	342	159	153
.....acres..	1 691	1 604	8 038	5 184	10 461	12 839	5 378	7 366
.....tons, dry..	(D)	2 609	14 969	8 439	(D)	22 976	6 685	13 103

¹Data are based on a sample of farms.