

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture
Mississippi Agricultural Statistics Service



WINSTON MISSISSIPPI

Land in farms

Increased 6 percent from 83,445 acres in 1992 to 88,045 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 12 percent from 172 acres in 1992 to 192 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Increased 6 percent from 148 farms in 1992 to 157 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

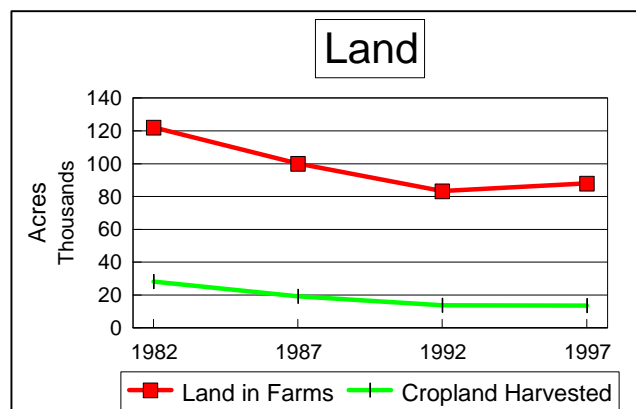
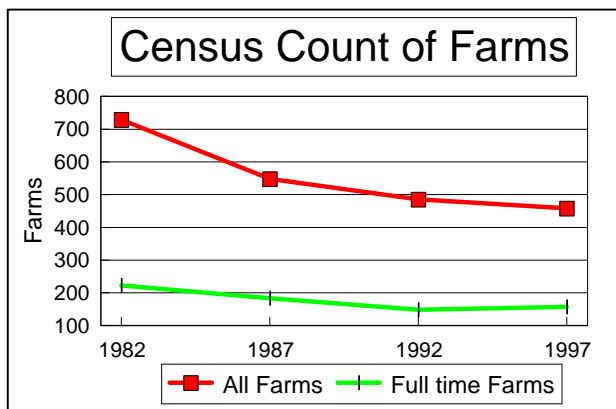
Increased 32 percent to \$8,282,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 14 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 86 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 40 percent from \$12,924 in 1992 to \$18,082 in 1997.



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Ranked Items Within State and U.S., 1997

Item	Quantity	State		U.S.	
		Rank	Universe*	Rank	Universe*
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	8,282	66	82	2,599	3,076
Value of livestock and poultry	7,090	41	82	2,126	3,069
Value of crops including nursery	1,191	66	82	2,678	3,070
TOP FIVE ALL COMMODITIES - VALUE OF SALES (\$1,000)					
Poultry & poultry products	2,686	28	72	730	2,901
Cattle and calves	2,404	38	82	2,023	3,063
Hogs and pigs	(D)	9	74	967	2,976
Dairy products	645	24	55	1,618	2,563
Cotton, cottonseed	476	49	61	469	709
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK SOLD (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold	679,600	31	45	492	1,882
Layers, pullets, and pullet chicks sold	(D)	17	46	410	2,203
Ducks, geese, and other poultry sold	25,900	4	50	162	2,200
Hogs and pigs sold	(D)	11	74	1,012	2,976
Cattle and calves sold	7,101	36	82	1,882	3,063
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - LIVESTOCK INVENTORY (number)					
Broiler inventory	98,617	31	61	506	2,620
Layers 20 weeks and older inventory	97,696	15	78	433	3,002
Pullets 13 to less than 20 weeks inventory	(D)	12	60	314	2,549
Cattle and calves inventory	15,718	32	82	1,773	3,064
Hogs and pigs inventory	(D)	6	77	800	3,005
TOP FIVE COMMODITIES - CROP AREA					
Hay crops-acres	11,103	24	82	1,606	3,061
Cotton-acres	914	51	61	494	713
Corn for grain-acres	730	57	82	1,947	2,691
Soybeans for beans-acres	620	59	76	1,678	2,144
Corn for silage-acres	216	28	63	1,787	2,473

Some counties do not have five commodities in a group.

Other County Summary Highlights

Item	1997	1992	Percent Change
Farms by value of sales:			
Less than \$10,000	368	378	-3
\$10,000 or more	90	108	-17
Total farm production expenses\$1,000..	6,454	6,881	-6
Average per farmdollars..	14,092	14,187	-1
Net cash return from agricultural sales			
for the farm unit\$1,000..	1,024	78	1213
Average per farmdollars..	2,235	161	1288
Farms by type of organization:			
Individual or family	438	453	-3
Partnership or corporation	18	30	-40
Other	2	3	-33
OPERATOR CHARACTERISTICS			
Operators by principal occupation:			
Farming	157	148	6
Other	301	338	-11
Operators by sex:			
Male	414	452	-8
Female	44	34	29
Operators by race:			
White	438	447	-2
Black and other races	20	39	-49
Average age of operator	57.0	56.0	2

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture Volume 1 Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

* Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.