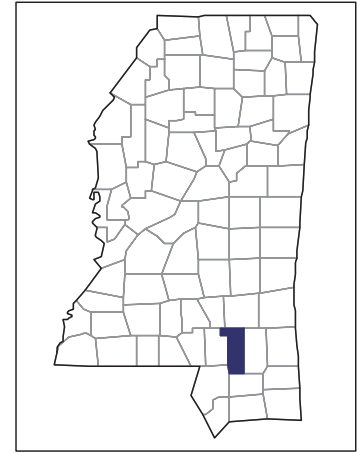


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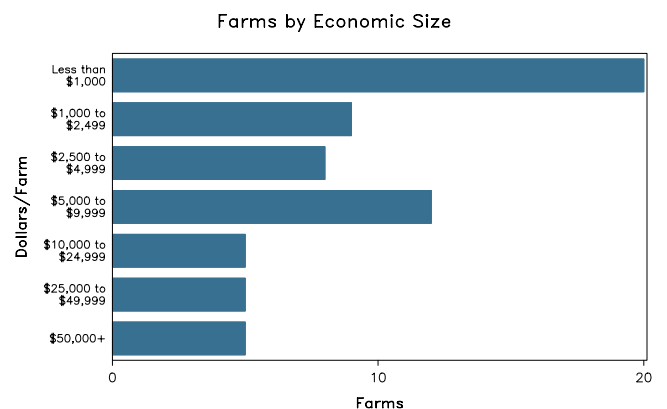
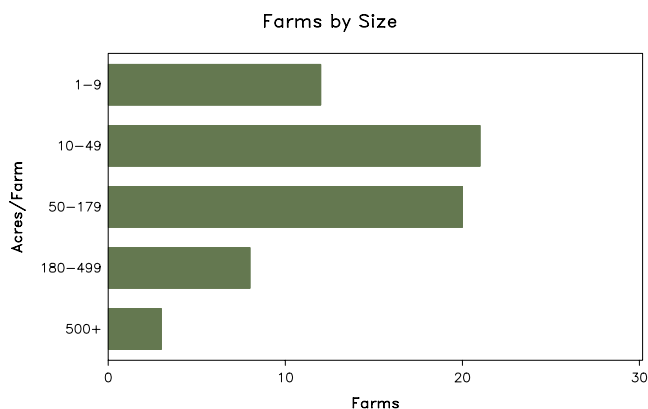
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Farms with Women Principal Operators Compared with All Farms

	Women Principal Operators	All Farms
Number of Farms	64	391
Land in Farms	8,954 acres	45,532 acres
Average Size of Farm	140 acres	116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$1,134,000	\$23,179,000
Crop Sales	(D)	\$5,320,000
Livestock Sales	(D)	\$17,859,000
Average Per Farm	\$17,716	\$59,281
Government Payments	\$197,000	\$999,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$8,191	\$9,513

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Farms with Women Principal Operators



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Forrest County – Mississippi Farms with Women Principal Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	64	1,134
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	27	(D)
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	18	(D)
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	2	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	5	224
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	10	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	12	21
Poultry and eggs	1	(D)
Cattle and calves	12	62
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	2	(D)
Sheep, goats, and their products	2	(D)
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	1	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	18	367
Nursery stock	5	25
Pecans, all	6	23
Land in berries	3	20
Floriculture crops, total	5	10
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	1	(D)
Cattle and calves	15	473
Horses and ponies	11	180
Goats, all	4	60
Colonies of bees	1	(D)

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	34
Other	30
Days worked off farm:	
None	32
Any	32
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	2
3 to 4 years	6
5 to 9 years	11
10 years or more	45
Age group:	
Under 45 years	12
45 to 64 years	25
65 years and over	27
Average age of principal operator (years)	61.6

Economic Characteristics

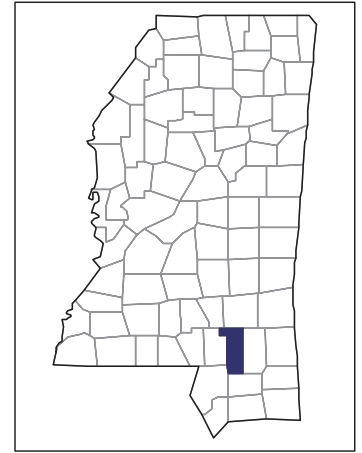
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Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	34
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7
\$10,000 to \$49,999	11
\$50,000 to \$99,999	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,830
Average per farm (\$)	28,592
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	-318
Average per farm (\$)	-4,966
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	1
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	-
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	182

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Farms with Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Operators Compared with All Farms



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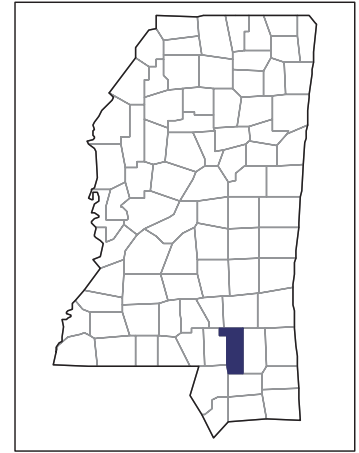
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Farms with American Indian or Alaska Native Operators Compared with All Farms



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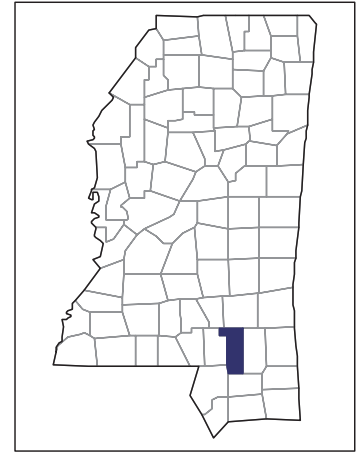
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**Farms with Asian Operators
Compared with All Farms**



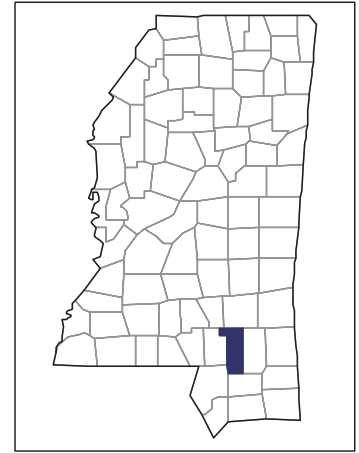
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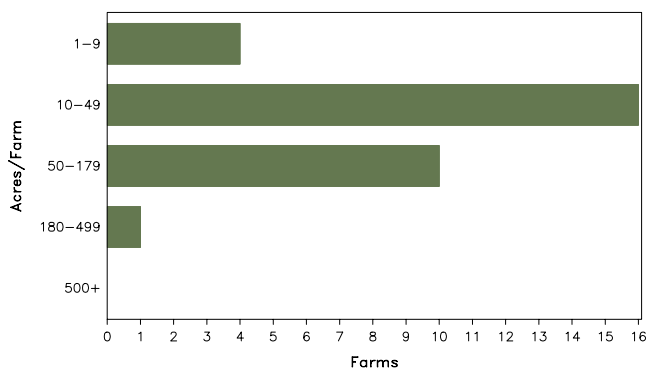
Farms with Black or African American Operators Compared with All Farms

	Black or African American Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	32	548
Number of Farms	31	391
Land in Farms	1,381 acres	45,532 acres
Average Size of Farm	45 acres	116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold		
Crop Sales	\$381,000	\$23,179,000
Livestock Sales	\$292,000	\$5,320,000
Average Per Farm	\$89,000	\$17,859,000
	\$12,286	\$59,281
Government Payments		
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,000	\$999,000
	\$2,325	\$9,513

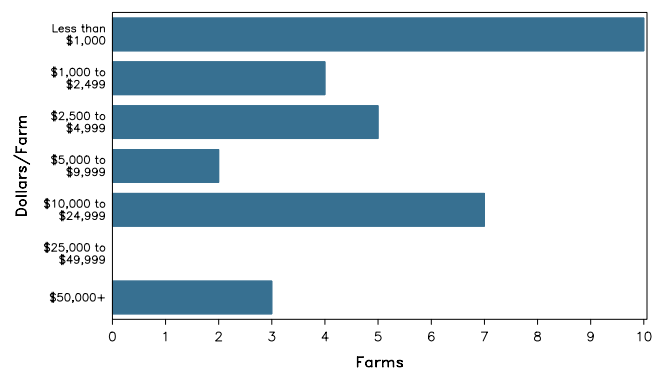
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Farms with Black or African American Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Forrest County – Mississippi Farms with Black or African American Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	31	381
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	13	292
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	18	89
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	-	-
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	6	(D)
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	1	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-
Other crops and hay	6	8
Poultry and eggs	-	-
Cattle and calves	18	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-
Hogs and pigs	-	-
Sheep, goats, and their products	-	-
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	-	-
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	2	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Vegetables harvested for sale	6	85
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	6	62
Peas, green southern (cowpeas) - blackeyed, crowder, etc.	2	(D)
Okra	5	(D)
Sweet corn	1	(D)
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Cattle and calves	16	373
Rabbits and their pelts	2	(D)
Goats, all	2	(D)
Layers	2	(D)
Ducks	2	(D)

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	11
Other	21
Days worked off farm:	
None	9
Any	23
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	-
3 to 4 years	3
5 to 9 years	4
10 years or more	25
Age group:	
Under 45 years	1
45 to 64 years	24
65 years and over	7
Average age (years)	59.1

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	12
\$1,000 to \$2,499	2
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5
\$5,000 to \$9,999	2
\$10,000 to \$49,999	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-
\$500,000 or more	-
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	269
Average per farm (\$)	8,665
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	131
Average per farm (\$)	4,219
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	4
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	9

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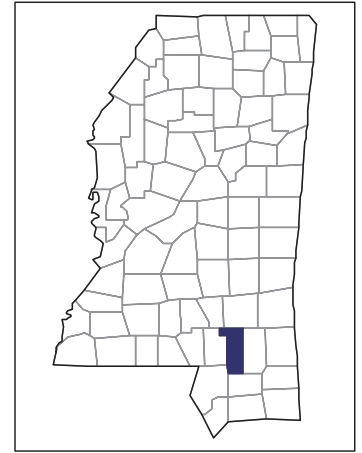
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Farms with Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Operators Compared with All Farms



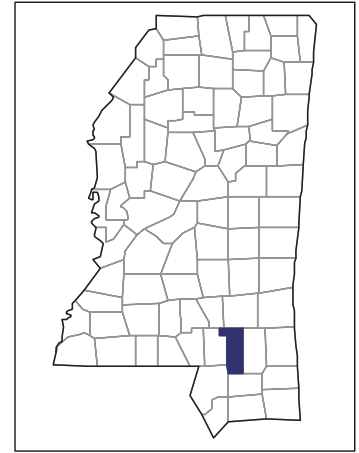
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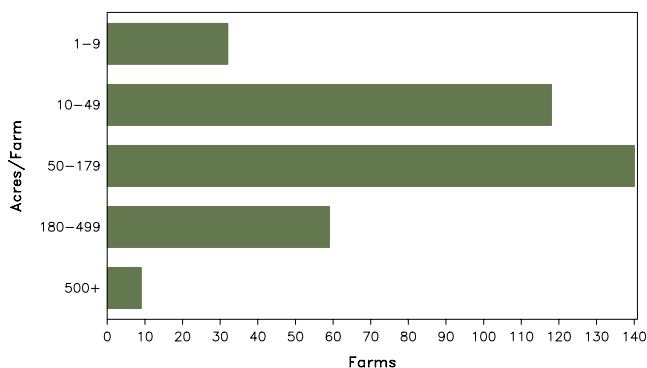
Farms with White Operators Compared with All Farms

	White Operators ²	All Farms
Number of Farm Operators ¹	514	548
Number of Farms	358	391
Land in Farms	44,107 acres	45,532 acres
Average Size of Farm	123 acres	116 acres
Market Value of Products Sold	\$16,246,000	\$23,179,000
Crop Sales	\$5,028,000	\$5,320,000
Livestock Sales	\$11,218,000	\$17,859,000
Average Per Farm	\$45,379	\$59,281
Government Payments	\$979,000	\$999,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$9,884	\$9,513

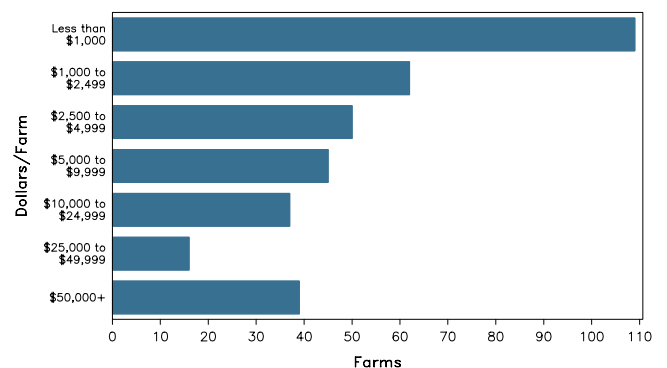
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Farms with White Operators

Farms by Size



Farms by Economic Size



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Forrest County – Mississippi Farms with White Operators

Selected Highlights

Item	Farms	Quantity
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)		
Total value of agricultural products sold	358	16,246
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	102	5,028
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	154	11,218
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)		
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5	(D)
Tobacco	-	-
Cotton and cottonseed	7	(D)
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	13	764
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	28	1,549
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	18	(D)
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	2	(D)
Other crops and hay	42	1,080
Poultry and eggs	31	9,207
Cattle and calves	108	(D)
Milk and other dairy products from cows	2	(D)
Hogs and pigs	8	8
Sheep, goats, and their products	12	19
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	24	227
Aquaculture	-	-
Other animals and other animal products	6	(D)
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	113	4,321
Cotton, all	7	(D)
Short-rotation woody crops	8	681
Peanuts for nuts	1	(D)
Corn for grain	5	(D)
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)		
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	11	769,213
Cattle and calves	150	5,056
Horses and ponies	91	649
Layers	26	(D)
Goats, all	17	(D)

Operator Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Primary occupation:	
Farming	166
Other	348
Days worked off farm:	
None	166
Any	348
Years on present farm:	
2 years or less	28
3 to 4 years	30
5 to 9 years	151
10 years or more	305
Age group:	
Under 45 years	82
45 to 64 years	297
65 years and over	135
Average age (years)	56.3

Economic Characteristics

Item	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:	
Less than \$1,000	156
\$1,000 to \$2,499	51
\$2,500 to \$4,999	35
\$5,000 to \$9,999	37
\$10,000 to \$49,999	42
\$50,000 to \$99,999	15
\$100,000 to \$249,999	12
\$250,000 to \$499,999	1
\$500,000 or more	9
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	13,630
Average per farm (\$)	38,072
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,299
Average per farm (\$)	12,007
Value of agricultural products sold directly to individuals for human consumption (\$1,000)	48
Total organic product sales (\$1,000)	(D)
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (\$1,000)	704

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