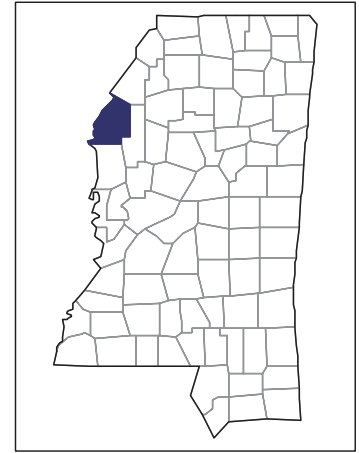


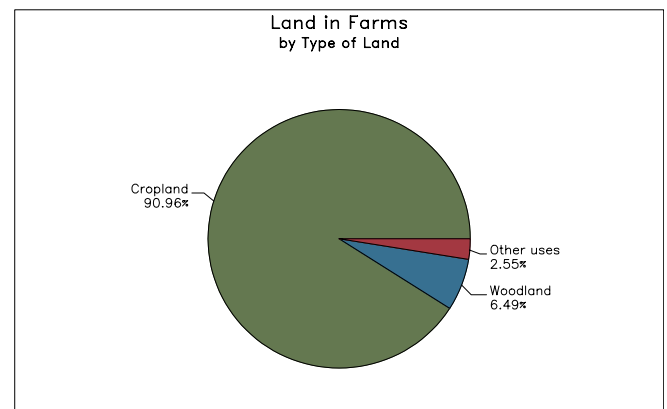
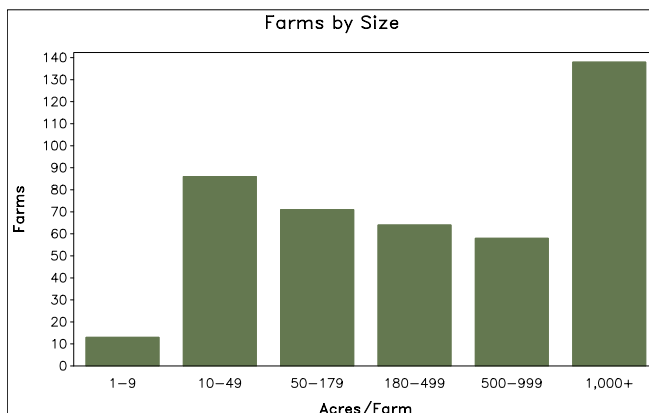
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Bolivar County Mississippi



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	430	435	- 1
Land in Farms	428,216 acres	439,655 acres	- 3
Average Size of Farm	996 acres	1,011 acres	- 1
Market Value of Products Sold	\$182,863,000	\$107,064,000	+ 71
Crop Sales \$181,561,000 (99 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$1,302,000 (1 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$425,263	\$246,125	+ 73
Government Payments	\$14,569,000	\$11,654,000	+ 25
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$43,752	\$50,671	- 14



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Bolivar County – Mississippi

Ranked items among the 82 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	182,863	7	82	387	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	181,561	1	82	100	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,302	79	82	2,862	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	143,656	1	82	79	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	35,464	3	60	31	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	80	(D)	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,595	7	79	343	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	74	-	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	48	-	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	-	-	76	-	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	74	81	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	50	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	(D)	75	77	(D)	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	4	72	77	2,948	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	16	47	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	1	50	72	2,590	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	175,870	1	68	22	2,039
Wheat for grain, all	58,151	1	61	265	2,481
Cotton, all	56,518	3	60	43	627
Rice	49,843	1	19	21	135
Corn for grain	46,760	6	82	619	2,634
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	1,454	73	81	2,848	3,060
Horses and ponies	265	72	82	2,744	3,066
Colonies of bees	(D)	33	75	(D)	2,640
Goats, all	42	73	78	2,794	3,023
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	77	(D)	2,958

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	62	Farming	286
\$1,000 to \$2,499	4	Other	144
\$2,500 to \$4,999	19	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	16	Male	399
\$10,000 to \$19,999	47	Female	31
\$20,000 to \$24,999	12	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	12	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	16	American Indian or Alaska Native	7
\$50,000 to \$99,999	39	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	42	Black or African American	143
\$250,000 to \$499,999	46	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	115	White	452
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	164,933	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	383,565	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	39,470		
Average per farm (\$)	91,790		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.