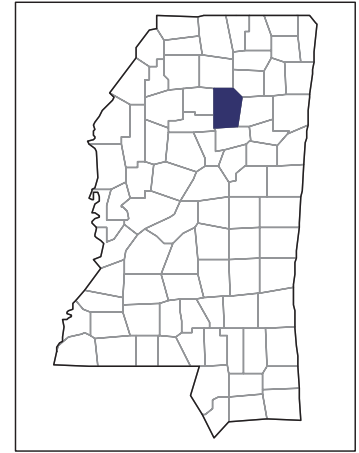


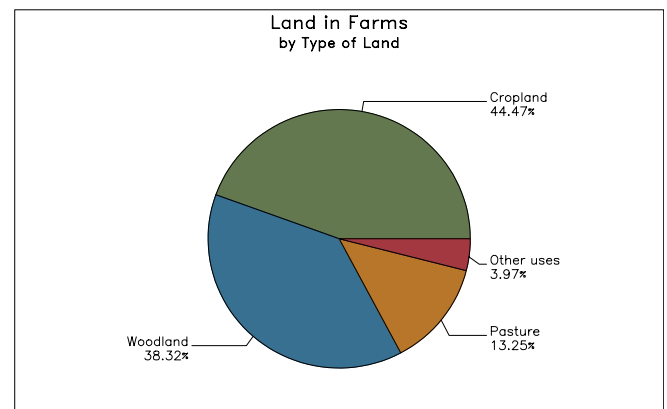
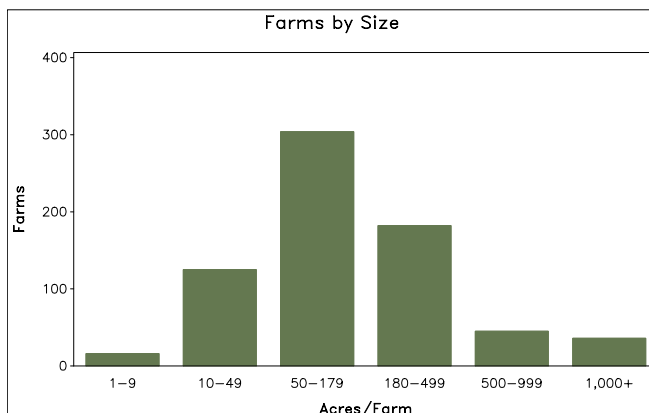
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## County Profile

### Calhoun County Mississippi



	2007	2002	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	708	634	+ 12
<b>Land in Farms</b>	202,217 acres	169,841 acres	+ 19
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	286 acres	268 acres	+ 7
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$50,730,000	\$32,222,000	+ 57
Crop Sales \$43,915,000 (87 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$6,815,000 (13 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$71,653	\$50,824	+ 41
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$4,547,000	\$1,689,000	+ 169
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$9,131	\$4,826	+ 89



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### Calhoun County – Mississippi

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

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>	U.S. Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>					
Total value of agricultural products sold	50,730	33	82	1,548	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	43,915	13	82	951	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,815	53	82	2,283	3,069
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	7,203	24	82	1,363	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	6,882	14	60	158	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	28,853	1	80	83	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	77	79	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	175	42	74	1,849	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	48	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	82	(D)	3,054
Poultry and eggs	15	61	76	2,287	3,020
Cattle and calves	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	50	-	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	10	75	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	5	58	77	2,792	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	87	36	77	1,824	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	47	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	71	72	(D)	2,875
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Cotton, all	17,711	12	60	157	627
Soybeans for beans	14,657	24	68	930	2,039
Vegetables harvested for sale	14,241	1	80	66	2,794
Sweet potatoes	14,212	1	26	1	572
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	13,004	16	82	1,452	3,060
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Hogs and pigs	(D)	7	77	(D)	2,958
Cattle and calves	13,114	34	81	1,794	3,060
Horses and ponies	734	42	82	1,780	3,066
Quail	604	24	48	477	1,386
Layers	381	57	76	2,339	3,024

#### Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	347	Farming	236
\$1,000 to \$2,499	43	Other	472
\$2,500 to \$4,999	55	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	64	Male	628
\$10,000 to \$19,999	57	Female	80
\$20,000 to \$24,999	10	Average age of principal operator (years)	59.0
\$25,000 to \$39,999	35	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	14	American Indian or Alaska Native	4
\$50,000 to \$99,999	20	Asian	4
\$100,000 to \$249,999	20	Black or African American	55
\$250,000 to \$499,999	14	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	29	White	906
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	40,250	More than one race	4
Average per farm (\$)	56,850	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	7
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	18,171		
Average per farm (\$)	25,665		

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.

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