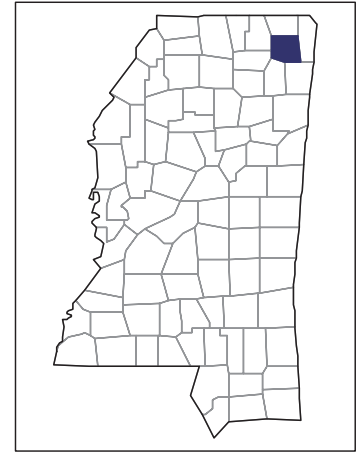


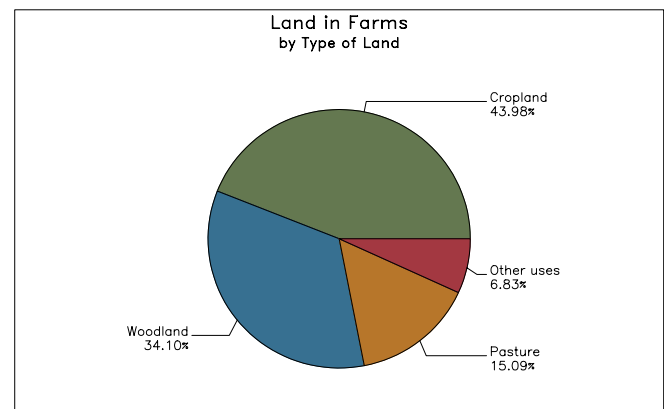
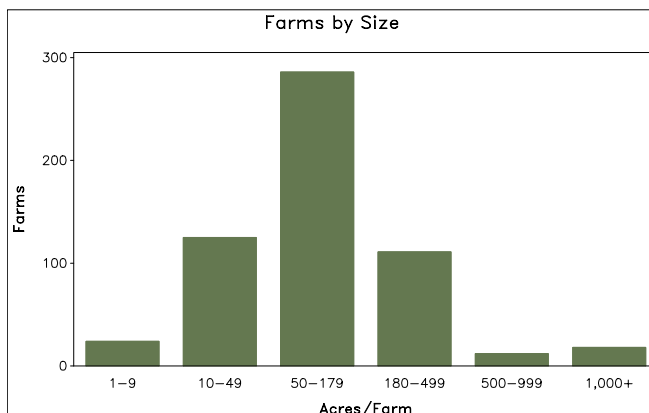
2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Prentiss County Mississippi



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	576	572	+ 1
Land in Farms	101,430 acres	102,486 acres	- 1
Average Size of Farm	176 acres	179 acres	- 2
Market Value of Products Sold	\$8,054,000	\$6,523,000	+ 23
Crop Sales \$4,755,000 (59 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$3,300,000 (41 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$13,983	\$11,404	+ 23
Government Payments	\$1,724,000	\$1,277,000	+ 35
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$4,331	\$3,755	+ 15



2007 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

County Profile

Prentiss 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	8,054	72	82	2,687	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	4,755	46	82	2,266	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	3,300	66	82	2,616	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,867	35	82	1,675	2,933
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	437
Cotton and cottonseed	1,276	32	60	334	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	141	57	80	1,670	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	51	79	(D)	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	123	48	74	1,973	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	48	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	258	64	82	2,557	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	58	76	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	2,171	53	81	2,254	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	862	18	50	1,413	2,493
Hogs and pigs	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	45	8	77	1,734	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	30	62	77	2,487	3,024
Aquaculture	-	-	47	-	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	147	8	72	826	2,875
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	15,581	22	68	907	2,039
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,538	54	82	2,218	3,060
Cotton, all	4,200	31	60	313	627
Corn for grain	1,910	43	82	1,695	2,634
Wheat for grain, all	(D)	40	61	(D)	2,481
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	7,129	56	81	2,247	3,060
Layers	832	43	76	1,781	3,024
Horses and ponies	614	49	82	2,007	3,066
Goats, all	514	22	78	1,438	3,023
Sheep and lambs	289	9	68	1,802	2,891

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	296	Farming	180
\$1,000 to \$2,499	73	Other	396
\$2,500 to \$4,999	60	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	46	Male	482
\$10,000 to \$19,999	45	Female	94
\$20,000 to \$24,999	11	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.8
\$25,000 to \$39,999	15	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	5	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	11	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5	Black or African American	12
\$250,000 to \$499,999	6	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	3	White	741
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	9,527	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	16,540	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	17
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	761		
Average per farm (\$)	1,321		

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.