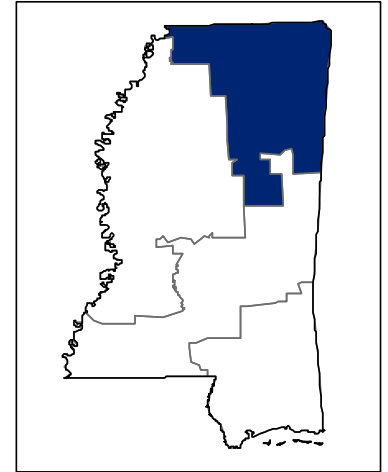


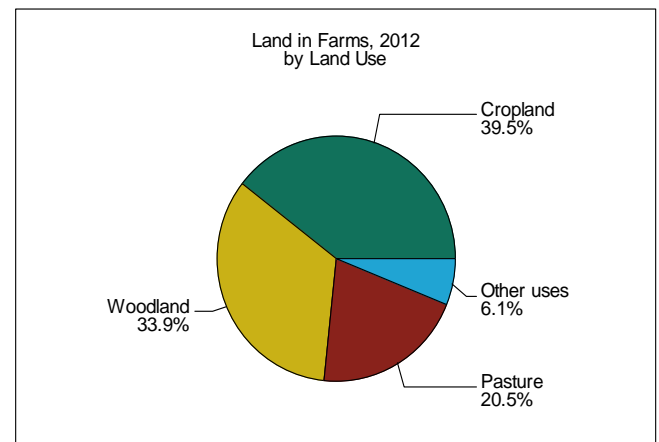
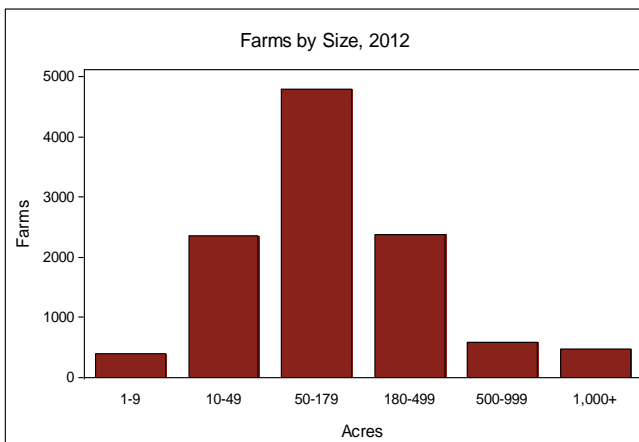
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Mississippi 1st District



	2012
Number of Farm Operators	15,534
Number of Farms	10,989
Land in Farms	2,650,855 acres
Average Size of Farm	241 acres
Irrigated Land	41,049 acres
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Market Value of Products Sold	\$785,235,000
Average Per Farm	\$71,456
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	\$31,123,000
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Government Payments	\$32,055,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,487



2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT PROFILE

Mississippi 1st District

Ranked items among the 4 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2012

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	785,235	3	4	124	430
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	463,503	2	4	104	429
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	321,731	4	4	129	423
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	297,847	2	4	73	387
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	100
Cotton and cottonseed	52,725	2	4	25	108
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	63,792	1	4	53	412
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,286	4	4	268	405
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	17,706	2	4	205	423
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	609	1	4	59	332
Other crops and hay	29,538	2	4	110	398
Poultry and eggs	92,823	4	4	89	405
Cattle and calves	77,397	2	4	115	393
Milk from cows	9,012	2	4	205	310
Hogs and pigs	(D)	1	4	38	365
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	1	4	(D)	387
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	2,918	1	4	127	402
Aquaculture	11,550	3	4	32	336
Other animals and other animal products	1,647	3	4	134	413
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Soybeans for beans	374,460	2	4	42	276
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	195,920	2	4	82	401
Corn for grain	104,153	2	4	92	356
Cotton, all	79,040	2	4	24	108
Upland cotton	79,040	2	4	23	108
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	3,054,859	4	4	73	365
Hogs and pigs	336,928	1	4	37	368
Layers	(D)	4	4	(D)	405
Cattle and calves	222,258	2	4	97	397
Pullets for laying flock replacement	202,580	4	4	113	361

Other Congressional District Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	4,876	Farming	3,988
\$1,000 to \$2,499	846	Other	7,001
\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,043	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,250	Male	9,392
\$10,000 to \$19,999	961	Female	1,597
\$20,000 to \$24,999	261	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	515	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	156	American Indian or Alaska Native	62
\$50,000 to \$99,999	327	Asian	12
\$100,000 to \$249,999	224	Black or African American	1,456
\$250,000 to \$499,999	155	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	5
\$500,000 or more	375	White	13,748
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	618,752	More than one race	49
Average per farm (\$)	56,307	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	147
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	229,660		
Average per farm (\$)	20,905		

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

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

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