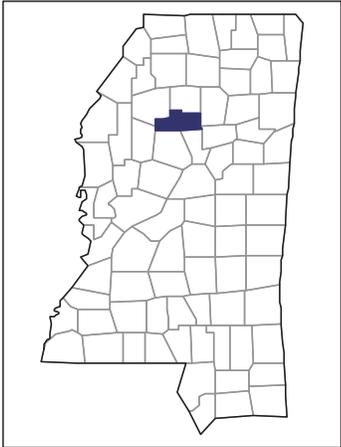


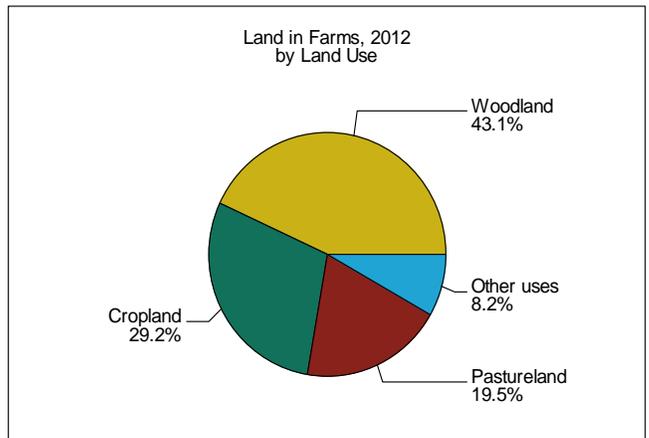
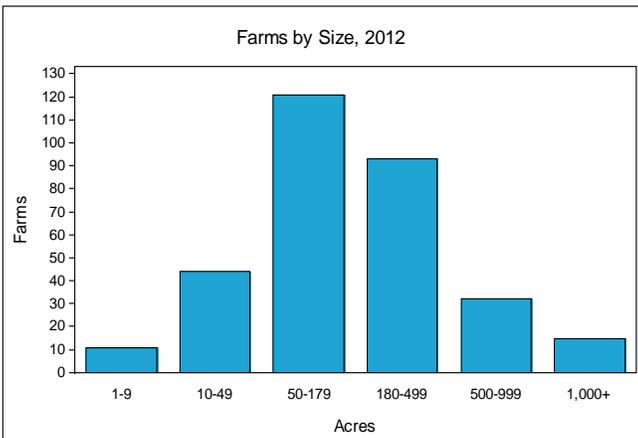
# 2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

## COUNTY PROFILE



### Grenada County Mississippi

	2012	2007	% change
<b>Number of Farms</b>	316	356	- 11
<b>Land in Farms</b>	88,380 acres	111,646 acres	- 21
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	280 acres	314 acres	- 11
<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$11,621,000	\$8,235,000	+ 41
Crop Sales \$6,906,000 (59 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$4,715,000 (41 percent)			
<b>Average Per Farm</b>	\$36,776	\$23,132	+ 59
<b>Government Payments</b>	\$1,414,000	\$1,304,000	+ 8
<b>Average Per Farm Receiving Payments</b>	\$7,036	\$6,067	+ 16





## Grenada County – Mississippi

### Ranked items among the 82 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

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	11,621	71	82	2,615	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	6,906	49	82	2,274	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	4,715	60	82	2,494	3,076
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	2,342	52	81	2,010	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	2,942	27	56	326	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	(D)	(D)	79	(D)	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	(D)	(D)	81	(D)	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	(D)	69	(D)	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	24	40	(D)	1,530
Other crops and hay	1,079	43	82	1,867	3,049
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	3,013
Cattle and calves	4,579	25	81	1,882	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	40	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	-	-	59	-	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	(D)	72	74	(D)	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	110	35	78	1,746	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	40	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	21	26	70	1,875	2,924
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,321	56	82	2,171	3,057
Cotton, all	4,857	27	56	326	635
Upland cotton	4,857	27	56	325	635
Soybeans for beans	2,848	45	72	1,429	2,162
Corn for silage	(D)	3	43	(D)	2,237
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>					
Cattle and calves	9,587	41	82	1,965	3,063
Horses and ponies	324	68	82	2,472	3,072
Goats, all	146	55	76	2,350	2,996
Layers	146	67	79	2,836	3,040
Colonies of bees	(D)	(D)	75	(D)	2,761

### Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	182	Farming	132
\$1,000 to \$2,499	9	Other	184
\$2,500 to \$4,999	21	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	19	Male	239
\$10,000 to \$19,999	31	Female	77
\$20,000 to \$24,999	5	Average age of principal operator (years)	61.7
\$25,000 to \$39,999	16	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	6	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	12	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	5	Black or African American	23
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	7	White	402
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	10,917	More than one race	5
Average per farm (\$)	34,546	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	4,058		
Average per farm (\$)	12,841		

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.

<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.