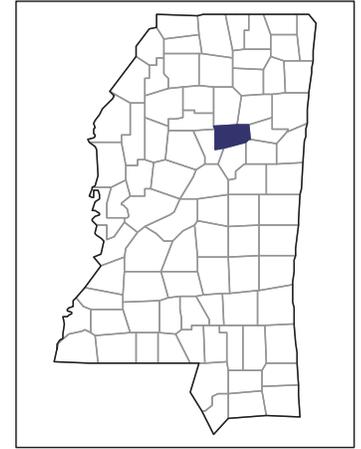


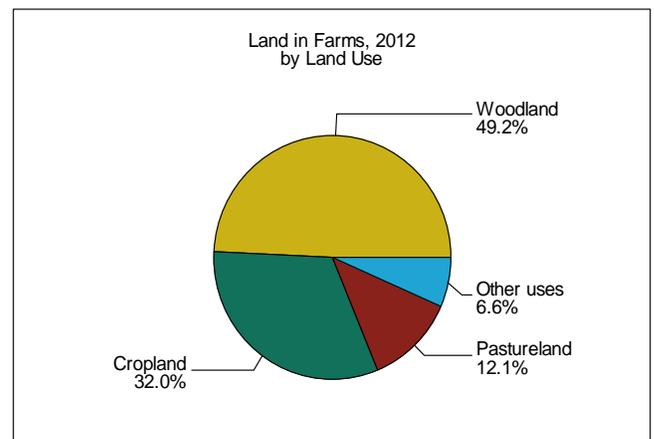
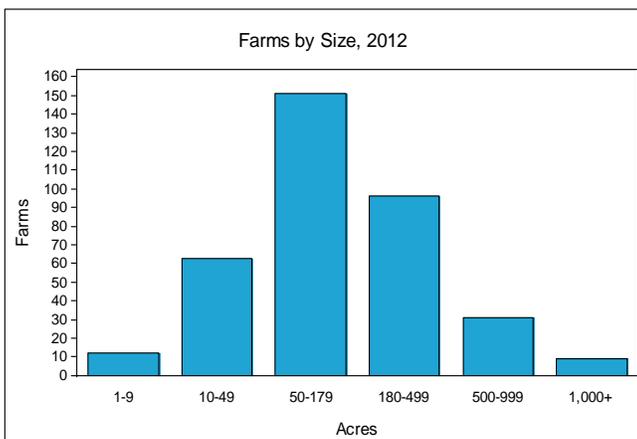
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Webster County Mississippi

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	362	392	- 8
Land in Farms	80,561 acres	83,852 acres	- 4
Average Size of Farm	223 acres	214 acres	+ 4
Market Value of Products Sold	\$20,337,000	\$14,939,000	+ 36
Crop Sales \$14,148,000 (70 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$6,189,000 (30 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$56,179	\$38,111	+ 47
Government Payments	\$1,899,000	\$1,787,000	+ 6
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$7,659	\$7,034	+ 9



2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE

Webster County – Mississippi

Ranked items among the 82 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 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	20,337	61	82	2,373	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	14,148	34	82	1,907	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,189	49	82	2,383	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	3,931	43	81	1,836	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	6,467	18	56	235	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	2,879	4	79	509	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	27	61	81	2,018	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	69	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	40	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	844	53	82	2,058	3,049
Poultry and eggs	-	-	75	-	3,013
Cattle and calves	918	70	81	2,637	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	40	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	5,225	6	59	549	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	28	28	74	2,260	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	73	78	(D)	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	40	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	70	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Cotton, all	9,769	17	56	241	635
Upland cotton	9,769	17	56	239	635
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	5,682	55	82	2,133	3,057
Soybeans for beans	2,758	48	72	1,436	2,162
Corn for grain	2,457	37	79	1,655	2,638
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Hogs and pigs	24,560	6	66	451	2,889
Cattle and calves	3,821	68	82	2,516	3,063
Horses and ponies	373	65	82	2,338	3,072
Goats, all	124	59	76	2,442	2,996
Mules, burros, and donkeys	18	71	78	2,383	2,991

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	195	Farming	119
\$1,000 to \$2,499	20	Other	243
\$2,500 to \$4,999	27		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	29	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	20	Male	297
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Female	65
\$25,000 to \$39,999	23		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3	Average age of principal operator (years)	63.1
\$50,000 to \$99,999	14		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	6	All operators by race ² :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	4	American Indian or Alaska Native	-
\$500,000 or more	15	Asian	1
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	17,398	Black or African American	18
Average per farm (\$)	48,061	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1
		White	461
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	5,927	More than one race	2
Average per farm (\$)	16,373	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	-

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