

PIKE COUNTY, MS

Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	437	459	483
Acreage	70,507	80,342	87,139
Average size (acres)	161	175	180
Median size (acres)	106	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	252,623	179,590	162,414
Machinery/equip (dollars)	21,514	22,835	20,314
Cropland (acres)			
Total	34,813	47,964	50,819
Harvested	13,991	17,740	23,318
Irrigated	29	41	226
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	49,577	17,222	15,246
(dollars avg. per farm)	113,449	37,522	31,565
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	20,025	5,772	6,631
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	20,113	25,550	26,123
Beef cows	7,743	8,479	7,744
Milk cows	4,676	6,763	7,479
Hogs and pigs	564	406	1,014
Sheep and lambs	23	44	43
Layers 13 wks or/older	D	604	1,001
Broilers and chicken (sold)	11,577,916	D	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	788	1,906	1,788
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	N
Sorghum, grain or seed	0	D	0
Wheat	D	D	1,811
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	0	0	0
Sunflower seed	N	N	N
Cotton	0	0	0
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	D	364	3,239
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	N
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	11,966	14,553	16,364
Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

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Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	N
Acreage	N	N	N

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture